



Post office lines are shorter this year.

Nation's Yule mail off 11%

If you feel less popular this year because the Christmas cards just aren't pouring in, blame it on the WIN buttons or a holiday season which is here before many realized it.

The U.S. Postal Service in Washington reported Monday's mail volume was down 11 per cent compared with the same day last year. And in Chicago, postal officials said volume is almost 7 per cent less this year than last between Nov. 9 and Dec. 15 — 50 million fewer pieces of mail.

"We expect the peak to come this week," said Walter Dyer, spokesman for the Chicago postal system. "But I don't think the mail will be the same volume as last year. People just seem to be doing less mailing," he said.

AS THE FLOW of mail begins to increase, some Northwest suburban post of-

fices still report substantial decreases in their load, while others say the volume is about the same as last season.

Daniel McTarni, foreman of mail at the Roselle Post Office branch which serves Hoffman Estates and Schaumburg, estimates a decrease of 30 per cent. "Our mail is completely clear and all the mail is gone. People seem to be waiting to mail this year or maybe it's the economy," he said.

Special hours were set up but people just now seem to be taking advantage of them, he said.

A temporary post office at Woodfield Shopping Center in Schaumburg has been busy during the past few days "indicating things will get rolling soon. It's just beginning to pick up."

In Elk Grove, the volume of cards

"seems to be extremely light," said Charles Counihan, office manager of the post office branch. "Usually there is a four to six-hour delay on mail at this time, but this year there is no backlog whatsoever."

A spokesman at the Rolling Meadows post office said "it seems low this season . . . there's not as much and we're just not going as hard," he said.

Des Plaines Postmaster John Kouleites said the volume of mail at his facilities which had been down somewhat has picked up. "We were extremely busy at the window Saturday and it was jammed mostly with people sending packages. Our carriers have been going out with good-size loads," he said.

THE ACTING Arlington Heights postmaster, John Buitz, said volume is

steady but added he could make no estimate whether this year's flow is lighter than in previous years.

Other local post office spokesmen said this year is not much different than previous ones. Martha Webster of Palatine reported "it's just about normal and volume is running very heavy now."

In Wheeling, the volume is reported slightly higher than last year.

Post office officials no longer will guarantee that cards will be delivered before Christmas but say "we'll be working right up to the last day." Dec. 15 was the recommended deadline for mailing this season and officials say time is running out.

To speed delivery, mail should be bundled with addresses marked plainly and with zip codes, officials said.

Cloudy

TODAY: Cloudy with a chance of snow flurries; high in low 30s.

WEDNESDAY: Partly sunny; high in mid 30s.

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Retention basin ready by spring

by JOHN MAES

A \$400,000 reservoir project expected to help solve flooding problems in Buffalo Grove will be completed and in operation by spring, officials said Monday.

The project, a five-acre retention basin being built at the Arlington Country Club, is intended to provide flood relief to residents and businesses along Dundee Road and in the White Pine Ditch area.

Arnold Seberg, Buffalo Grove village engineer, Monday said excavation of the pond is about "90 per cent" complete and said the pond would be "functional" now in retaining flood water if heavy rains hit.

Some work remains however on an earthen dam and a series of bridges under construction over the lake and its outlet channels.

Early next spring, contractors will restore the area and respread black dirt before work is complete, Seberg said.

BUFFALO GROVE, the State of Illinois and the Metropolitan Sanitary District are sharing costs while the country club is supplying the land as part of an agreement among the four groups.

The basin is designed to check flooding by holding storm water until flood threats pass. The water will then be released into Buffalo Creek, east of the golf course.

The pond, with a 16-million gallon capacity, will prevent the overflow of nearby streams by retaining flood water.

The village is contributing \$80,000 to the project to cover engineering, bridge installation and utility expenses. The sanitary district and the state are paying most of the construction cost.

The pact calls for completion by April 1, 1975, to avoid interfering with the golf season.

THE PROJECT was delayed for an extended period earlier this year and in 1973 when financing difficulties were encountered by the village and the sanitary district.

Buffalo Grove Village Mgr. Daniel Larson Monday said he is confident the project will be ready to meet "major rainstorms" next spring.

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Agency to rule on hospital branch

A hospital-planning agency is expected to make a decision this week on plans for a proposed satellite of the Franklin Boulevard Community Hospital to serve the Wheeling-Buffalo Grove area.

Norman Davis, a Franklin Boulevard consultant, said Monday that if the decision by the agency, the Comprehensive Health Planning, is favorable, construction will begin soon.

The planning agency has not yet made a decision on the hospital branch, although its officials said last month it probably would come in early December. Officials from Comprehensive Health Planning were unavailable for comment Monday.

THE HOSPITAL needs the approval of the agency as a prerequisite to receive Blue Cross-Blue Shield coverage. Without the coverage, officials said the hospital would face a severe financial hardship.

In addition, Davis said, the hospital would have problems obtaining financing without a Blue Cross contract. He said unless the hospital has a Blue Cross contract, lending agencies are reluctant to commit support.

Approval by Comprehensive Health Planning is uncertain because of a recent report that said there is no need for additional hospital beds in Cook County.

Franklin Boulevard, located in Chicago, received state approval before Oct.

The Buffalo Grove Park District will be unable to obtain federal funds to reimburse it for the \$45,000 purchase of Willow Stream Park until another land acquisition matter is settled in court.

The park district currently is tied up in court over purchases of three acres east

of the Cambridge on the Lake Development.

Park Director Stacey Crosland said until the court matter is resolved, the park district cannot apply for some \$45,000 used to buy the Willow Stream park site.

THE 17-ACRE Willow Stream site, once the location of the old Buffalo Grove sewage treatment plant, was purchased from the village about two years ago.

Crosland said the park district is eligible for a federal rebate on the purchase and on purchase of the site near Cambridge but the property must be

bought before the funds can be obtained.

In a 1971 bond issue, the park district set aside some \$200,000 for the land acquisition.

The site south of Cambridge just east of Buffalo Grove Road and south of Dundee Road consists of six acres. Plans call for the installation of at least two tennis courts and two playground areas.

ALL BUT THREE acres have been obtained. The park district filed a condemnation suit more than a year ago to obtain them.

Without the three acres, known as the Trausch property, Crosland said there

would be no means of public access to the proposed park.

As soon as the condemnation suit is settled, Crosland said, park officials will move immediately to get the reimbursement and develop the park.

HE SAID RECEIPT of the funds will not be jeopardized if the condemnation is not resolved soon but said park officials could face problems in adjusting next year's budget if the purchase price turns out to be higher than the amount originally set aside.

About \$100,000 is available for land acquisition on the Cambridge Park.

Aimed at poor conditions

Village votes to adopt housing code

The Buffalo Grove Village Board decided Monday night to adopt a housing code designed to deal with poor maintenance conditions in houses and buildings here.

The board reached its decision to adopt the Building Officials' Code of America in a unanimous vote.

Building Comr. William Dettmer suggested the village adopt the code after showing trustees slides of unsafe and unhealthy conditions at several village residences.

Dettmer told the board the code will allow for fines ranging from \$10 to \$500 for unsanitary and hazardous conditions found in homes.

Dettmer said the code will provide him with an "enforcement tool" when investigating complaints.

"It's vitally important that we do adopt a housing code to establish a minimum standard," he said.

THE VILLAGE HAS a building code setting guidelines for building construction, but Dettmer said it does not apply to "maintenance" of buildings and residences.

He estimated there are 35 to 40 "flagrant violations" of the code in the village.

He cited examples such as garbage strewn inside and outside buildings, broken windows and shingles falling from roofs as instances of poor maintenance.

He would not cite specific buildings but said he has found such conditions in several areas of the village. He has had no enforcement powers to correct them, he added.

ALTHOUGH HE SAID some complaints received from residents by mail and telephone turn out to be unjustified, he added, "The majority have merit to them."

He said Elk Grove Village, Schaumburg, Des Plaines, Northbrook, Hoffman Estates, Arlington Heights and Palatine have adopted housing codes.

"What's going to happen to our community if we don't start planning today for minimum health standards?" he asked the board.

IN SUPPORT OF THE measure, Trustee Thomas Mahoney said the code would act as a "tool for stepping in when there is a health danger."

Mahoney said, however, that village officials would have to exercise "good judgment unless there is a health hazard."

Dettmer said in some instances it would not be necessary to levy fines for violations because residents may be unaware of how to perform routine maintenance on their houses or apartments.

The board directed Village Atty. Richard Raya to draft "necessary ordinances so the board can formally adopt the code at a later meeting."

Christmas tea today

The United Methodist Women of Kingswood United Methodist Church, 401 Dundee Rd., Buffalo Grove, will have its annual Christmas Tea at 8 p.m. today.

The tea will be during a general meeting.

Suburban digest

Des Plaines votes to seek U.S. funds

Des Plaines Mayor Herbert H. Behrel had to cast two tie-breaking votes Monday night to move the city ahead in seeking funds under the U.S. Housing and Community Development Act. The city council split 7-7 on the issue of forming a seven-member task force to assist city officials in preparing an application for the program, which could bring the city \$2.5 million over the next six years. Behrel also broke a tie vote on a resolution enabling Michael Richardson, city director of planning and zoning, to spend up to \$13,500 in order to prepare the application. The federal funds can be used for public improvements to prevent blight or benefit low and moderate-income families but cannot be used for public housing.

Des Plaines is lone objector

Des Plaines apparently will continue to stand alone in its objections to a sewage treatment plant for the city's west side and the deep-tunnel system that will be used to connect the plant to the rest of the Northwest suburban area. Of the seven communities affected by the plant and tunnel project, only Des Plaines plans to object at a hearing on the project scheduled Thursday by the Metropolitan Sanitary District. Elk Grove Village will testify in favor of the project and five of the six other suburbs will send representatives only for informational purposes.

Elk Grove High gets principal

Donald G. Ring was named principal of Elk Grove High School Monday night, effective Jan. 1. Ring, district coordinator of science and mathematics since 1968, succeeds Robert Haskell, who died Nov. 3 of a heart attack. Ring was picked by the High School Dist. 216 Board of Education from a field of six candidates. His salary will be \$28,500 annually.

Bardwell hired, Knaup resigns

Elk Grove Township Dist. 59 gained an acting superintendent Monday night, but lost a board of education member. The board appointed former Supt. Roger Bardwell acting superintendent, temporarily filling the vacancy created by the firing last week of Supt. James Erviti. The board also accepted the resignation of Charles Knaup, an airline pilot who cited a lack of time to devote to the school board in quitting after 20 months on the board of education.

Vandals darken his Yule

Victor Michel's first Christmas in Palatine will not be nearly as bright as those he celebrated in Chicago. Vandals got to the Italian lights he strung on trees outside his Palatine home, cracking some light bulbs and stealing others. "In all the years I lived with my family in Chicago, and put up nice and expensive decorations in front of our home, nothing like this ever happened to me," said Michel. "I had to come to the suburbs for it to happen."

Hospital branch ruling soon

The Comprehensive Health Planning Agency is expected to rule soon on plans for a branch of the Franklin Boulevard Community Hospital to serve the Wheeling-Buffalo Grove area. Hospital officials say a favorable ruling by the agency will allow construction to begin shortly. If the agency determines, however, there is no need for another hospital, Franklin Boulevard will be unable to obtain Blue Cross-Blue Shield coverage, making financing difficult.

It's now Arlington Park Hilton

Hilton Hotels Corp. took over management Monday of the Arlington Park Hilton, formerly the Arlington Park Towers Hotel. Named general manager of the hotel was Paul Gaeta, who has been associated with the Waldorf-Astoria in New York, the Pittsburgh Hilton, and most recently, general manager of the Omaha Hilton.

Special election required to fill Danaher's post

A special county election to find a successor to Circuit Court Clerk Matthew Danaher is expected in four to six months.

Mr. Danaher, 47, died last weekend.

Chief Circuit Court Judge John Boyle will name an interim court clerk after a meeting of the court's 135 judges at noon today. A four-judge panel interviewed applicants for the post Monday, and will recommend a candidate for approval by the judges.

Morgan M. Finley, chairman of Chicago's zoning board of appeals, met with the committee Monday. "Out of respect to Mr. Danaher I will have no comment, if I am successful, until after the funeral," he said. "I will have a statement on Thursday."

MR. DANAHER, a protege of Chicago Mayor Richard J. Daley, will be buried Thursday at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery, Worth, after an 11 a.m. mass at Our Nativity of Our Lord Church in Chicago.

Immediate appointment of an interim

clerk is necessary because the clerk signs all Circuit Court documents, "to make them good," a spokesman for Boyle said.

State law requires a special election to fill vacancies with more than one year remaining in an elected official's term of office. Mr. Danaher was elected to a four-year term in 1972.

Gov. Daniel Walker will schedule the primary and general elections after receiving the name of Mr. Danaher's interim successor. "It takes four to six months to get something like this organized," Boyle's spokesman said.

Mr. Danaher was found dead Sunday in his suite at the Ambassador West Hotel. He had liver and ulcer ailments, and was to begin standing trial Jan. 20 in U.S. District Court on charges of conspiracy and tax evasion. He was accused of accepting, with two associates, \$400,000 in payoffs from two Chicago builders while he was a Chicago alderman.

County board OKs tax on out-of-state purchases

The Cook County Board was added Monday to a growing list of governments that will share in a state-collected use tax on major out-of-state purchases by Illinois residents.

The board unanimously approved a 1 per cent use tax that affects unincorporated-area residents who purchase cars, trailers, motorcycles and boats in other states.

A similar tax has been approved in Mount Prospect, Des Plaines, Park Ridge and Niles. Comr. Floyd Fulle of Des Plaines said Chicago recently passed an ordinance authorizing a use tax.

"All the cities and villages will be doing the same thing. This should make retailers in unincorporated areas happy," Board Pres. George Dunne said.

The unincorporated area tax will produce an estimated \$10,000 a year in revenue, County Comptroller Thomas Beck said.

LEGISLATION PASSED by the Illinois General Assembly allows counties to levy a use tax against residents who purchase personal property out of state to

avoid Illinois sales tax. The tax will be collected by the state because property purchased in another state must be registered in Illinois.

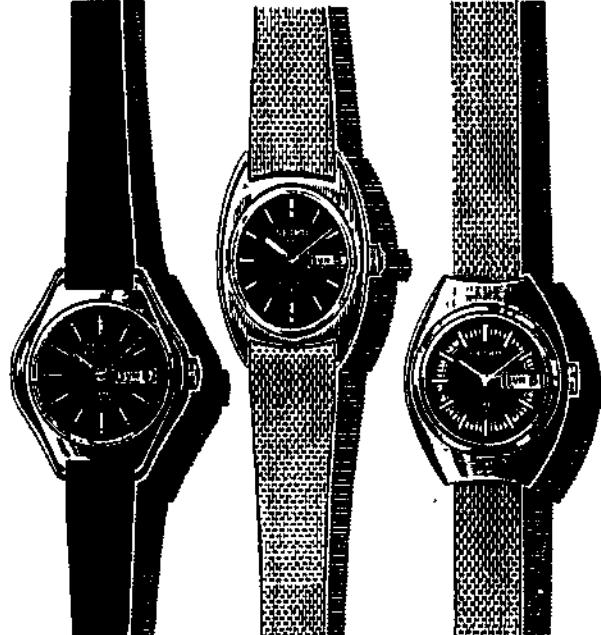
Dunne said cars purchased in Detroit, for example, must be registered in Illinois to obtain Illinois license plates.

At the board meeting, Dunne also dismissed as "frivolous and unnecessary" a request by recently elected County Treasurer Edward Rosewell that the county file a test court suit on investments of an estimated \$10 million in non-interest-bearing condemnation funds.

In a letter to Dunne, Rosewell repeated his campaign pledge to invest the money, which could earn more than \$1 million a year in interest. Rosewell said he will place the interest from the investments in an escrow account until a court determines disbursement of funds.

The board, acting as the County Forest Preserve Commission, also approved \$5.6 million in bonds to finance Buffalo Zoo improvements. Low bidder, at 5.733 per cent interest, was Northern Trust Co. of Chicago.

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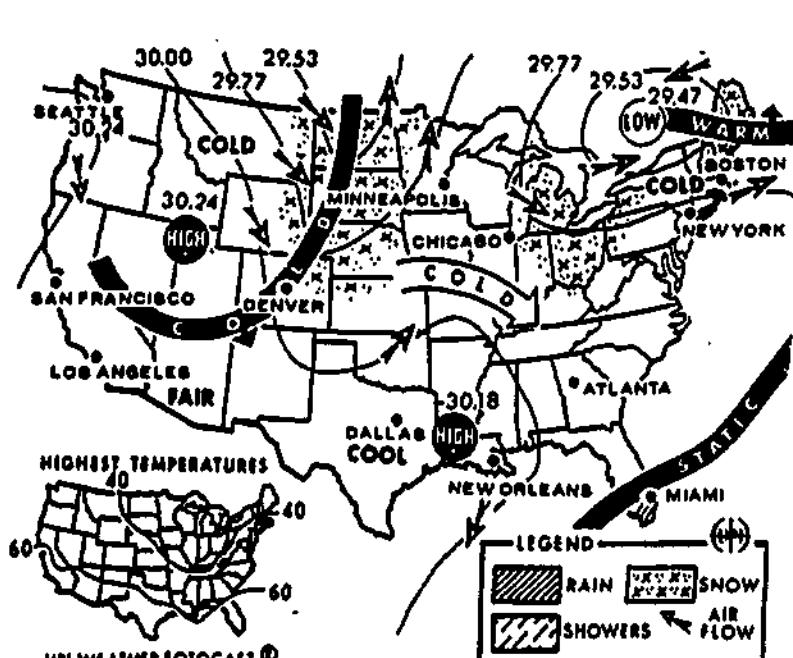
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	Temperatures around the nation							
	High	Low						
Atlanta	44	23	Kansas City	43	22	Raleigh	46	20
Boston	38	22	St. Louis	35	20	St. Louis	35	22
Buffalo	33	20	Seattle	37	22	Seattle	37	22
Charleston, S.C.	33	11	Minneapolis	29	18	San Francisco	41	24
Chicago	36	23	New Orleans	47	31	Seattle	49	34
Denver	33	21	New York	42	33	Spokane	35	24
Dallas	33	21	Phoenix	43	25	Washington	46	29
El Paso	37	22	Pittsburgh	32	19	Wichita	51	34
Houston	51	48	Portland, Me.	52	27			

Temperatures around the nation

High Low



IN SEATTLE, Monday, a group of police monitor the parade. Police protesters show opposition to hollow-nose bullets the Seattle Police Department proposes, while mounted maintain the bullets would give them better protection, but protesters say they're dangerous to bystanders.

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Sports

Devine to succeed Parseghian at N.D.
Dan Devine, who resigned as coach of the Green Bay Packers, Monday was named head football coach at Notre Dame, succeeding Ara Parseghian, who resigned Sunday effective after the Orange Bowl game. Devine becomes the 23rd coach in Notre Dame's 88 years of football. In a statement released in South Bend, Devine said: "I have always respected the Notre Dame administration and its athletic program." In Cleveland, meanwhile, the Browns fired head coach Nick Skorich following the worst season in the club's 28-year history.

The nation

Sirhan's attorney to file appeal

The attorney for Sirhan B. Sirhan said Monday he plans to file an appeal with the California State Supreme Court calling for reopening of the Robert F. Kennedy assassination case on grounds of "new" ballistics information. The attorney, Godfrey Isaac, said he would file a writ of error within the next few weeks and was hopeful it would lead to a new trial for Sirhan, now serving a life term for the 1968 murder of Kennedy.

Ford plans for Rocky's swearing-in

President Ford expressed confidence Monday that Nelson Rockefeller will be confirmed as vice president by the House this week and disclosed he is making plans for the swearing-in — possibly on Saturday. Ford said this historic ceremony probably would take place in the Senate chamber. Ford was sworn in as vice president in the House chamber.

New drug added to anti-cancer fight

An expensive Italian drug called Adriamycin is a significant addition to the growing list of anti-cancer weapons available to American doctors, a National Cancer Institute official said Monday. "I would call it one of the most active drugs we have, but it's not a breakthrough," said Dr. Stephen Carter. Adriamycin, an antibiotic, was the subject of a two-day seminar for cancer physicians describing its development.

Patty to share in \$2.5 million estate

Patricia Hearst, fugitive heiress sought by the FBI as a member of the Symbionese Liberation Army, was named Monday to share in the estimated \$2.5 million estate left by her grandmother. The late Millicent V. Hearst, widow of publishing empire founder William Randolph Hearst, Sr., died Dec. 8 in her Manhattan apartment at the age of 88.

FEA forecasts adequate fuel supplies

The United States will have adequate supplies next year of gasoline, jet fuel, heating oil and other petroleum products, the Federal Energy Administration said in a forecast issued Monday. The forecast, dated Nov. 8, was made public after a weekend meeting at Camp David by U.S. energy experts drafting proposed new measures, both mandatory and voluntary, which President Ford might use to decrease reliance on foreign petroleum supplies.

The world

Communists remove ideology secretary

The Communist Party Central Committee Monday removed one of its secretaries from a key ideological post, but made no changes in the top Kremlin leadership which has ruled for 10 years. Western analysts speculated Pyotr Demichev was relieved of his post because of the nonconformist outdoor art show held in Moscow Sept. 20. They said Demichev may have intervened in favor of the show to the displeasure of Kremlin hardliners.

N. Korean spy boat towed to Inchon Harbor

The South Korean navy Monday towed a badly damaged vessel thought to be a North Korean spy boat to Inchon Harbor and said all crewmen were believed dead. The boat, carrying more than 250 rounds of machinegun ammunition, was captured Sunday in the Yellow Sea after an explosion which might have been set off by its crew.

Rabin: Egypt plan could endanger peace

Prime Minister Yitzhak Rabin said in Tel Aviv Monday an Egyptian demand for a 50-year Israeli immigration freeze could endanger peace prospects in the Middle East, but would not deter Israel from its "historic human mission" as a Jewish homeland. Rabin also attacked sanctions against Israel by the U.N. Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization last month.

Materials deal with Vietnam war

Ellsberg papers called 'explosive'

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Rep. William Moorhead, D-Pa., disclosed Monday his subcommittee has a set of "explosive" documents collected by Dr. Daniel Ellsberg that may be more significant than the Pentagon Papers.

Moorhead called reporters to his office and unveiled the stacks of materials subpoenaed over the weekend by his subcommittee on foreign operations and government information. The documents were reported stolen from Ellsberg's Mill Valley, Calif., home on Oct. 1 and were later recovered by police investigating another burglary.

Moorhead said most of the materials dealt with the Vietnam war and revealed "a situation where we remember the government telling us one thing, and the documents say another."

"I think we've got a wealth of material that is going to be extremely interesting from a news point of view, a historical point of view and a legislative point of view."

Moorhead said he read one cable relating to American involvement in Southeast Asia marked secret. "If it is dated when I think it was dated, then it would be quite explosive." He added that the memo appeared "from the phraseology" to have been written during the Johnson administration.

Ellsberg, in Mill Valley, said there are cables "similar in import to the Pentagon Papers" in that they showed a deliberate effort to manipulate public opinion to give a false impression of progress just prior to the Tet offensive in the fall of 1967.

Moorhead assured newsmen the documents will be reviewed by the committee, working with Ellsberg, and then revealed to the public in a hearing early

"This was not merely wrong, but it cost the lives of many thousands of Americans and Vietnamese," he said.

The other papers, he said, go back 10 years and "could be equally or more important but they are older and do not deal directly with Vietnam."

Moorhead said Ellsberg personally approached the committee and asked it to subpoena the records for safekeeping pending a full review of their contents. Ellsberg told reporters earlier he was concerned the papers might be returned to the government and never made public.

Moorhead assured newsmen the documents will be reviewed by the committee, working with Ellsberg, and then revealed to the public in a hearing early

next year. Ellsberg will describe what the papers say and explain their significance.

Moorhead said he checked the "flavor" of the files, which one aide said weighed nearly 75 pounds. He said a brief glance made it clear they were not "just a pile of junk."

Ellsberg, whose psychiatrist's office was broken into by President Richard M. Nixon's "Plumbers" intelligence unit, believes the theft was not a "bona fide" burglary. But Moorhead said he agrees with the Mill Valley police chief that the burglary was done by a professional and was not a government authorized operation.

"If it were a Plumbers type of operation, these documents wouldn't be on my desk today," Moorhead said.

Ford home with oil accord in hand

WASHINGTON (UPI) — President Ford, elated by a thaw in Franco-American relations, returned Monday from a Caribbean summit with French President Valery Giscard d'Estaing that produced agreements to coordinate policy on oil and other matters.

Echoing diplomats who already were calling the cooperation established there "the spirit of Martinique," Ford told reporters on the four-hour flight home that the talks were "very successful . . . I'm optimistic about the future."

Ford said he would brief congressional leaders on the agreements Tuesday and expected them to "be very responsive" to the compromise oil policy program worked out with Giscard at Trois Ilets on the Island of Martinique.

The plan calls for oil consumer nations to coordinate their needs and policies in

advance of an international conference of oil consumers and producers for some time in March, and apparently marked an end to a French go-it-alone policy that has produced cool relations for a decade.

The March conference would be the first cooperative attempt by major oil users to use their collective weight to hold down or even reduce international petroleum prices.

But perhaps more significantly typifying an end to bitterness in U.S.-French relations, Giscard agreed in principle to payment of \$100 million compensation to this country for the costs incurred when President Charles de Gaulle ordered U.S. and NATO forces and bases removed from French soil seven years ago.

Meanwhile, Saudi Arabian Oil Minister Ahmed Zaki Yamani said Monday that cutting down oil consumption won't force oil producing countries to cut prices.

The Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries can cut production by at least 33 per cent without financial damage to its members, whereas even a 10 per cent cut in consumption would be highly optimistic," said Yamani. "The focus should be recycling of oil revenues to help the balance of payments."

The Shah of Iran said Monday that oil prices have just about stabilized.



THE PRESIDENT and Betty Ford wave from the White House balcony following the President's return from Martinique and talks with French President Valery Giscard d'Estaing. The talks were called successful.

Blacks free to sue on housing price

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The Supreme Court Monday refused to interfere with a lower court ruling that black inner-city homebuyers may sue for relief if Realtors or builders charge them higher prices than white suburbanites pay for equivalent housing.

In an order returning the case for further proceedings, the justices refused to hear appeals by Chicago area builders and Realtors who said they did not discriminate against blacks by charging more for homes in the city than for similar buildings in the suburbs.

The high court did not rule on the question, but let stand a decision by the 7th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals allowing 17 black families with homes on Chicago's south side to sue the home-builders.

Relying on an 1866 Civil Rights law allowing all citizens the same right to own property, the Appeals Court said a history of housing discrimination in Chicago forced blacks to buy homes in small areas of the city. If builders took advantage of the situation to charge more for homes under more burdensome terms than used in the suburbs, blacks could get damage awards, the court said.

Meanwhile, the U.S. Civil Rights Commission said Monday that past action on housing discrimination against minorities and women has been minimal and recommended that Congress increase and centralize federal fair housing enforcement powers.

The commission urged granting the Department of Housing and Urban Development authority to issue cease-and-desist orders under the Civil Rights Act of 1968. It also recommended making HUD responsible for enforcing fair housing rules for all other agencies.

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Deliberate physical injury or personal abuse of patients and life-threatening conditions exist in more than half the nation's 23,000 nursing homes, a Senate subcommittee reported Monday.

It voted 224 to 136 to accept Senate language modifying the amendment and sent an \$8.8 billion supplemental appropriations bill funding a variety of government programs to President Ford for his expected signature.

As sent to the White House, the bill contained an amendment barring any of the bill's \$4.1 billion in education funds to be used for activities that are necessary before the government can order busing of pupils to achieve school integration.

But the Senate language tacked on by a 35-27 vote added "except as may be necessary to enforce nondiscriminatory civil rights provisions of federal law." The government would thus be free to continue ordering busing since its authority to do so is included in those civil rights provisions.

In the Senate Monday:

• The 1925 Geneva Protocol banning chemical and biological warfare was ratified as was the Geneva Convention outlawing biological and toxin weapons.

• Final congressional approval was given to a compromise federal strip mining bill with a warning to President Ford that a veto will bring a strong measure next year.

The bill sets standards for reclaiming land surface-mined for coal; authorizes a reclamation fee on all coal production, and grants surface rights to western ranchers who have federally owned coal under their land.

The President's new energy administrator, Frank Zarb, announced Friday that Ford intends to veto the legislation because of its effect on domestic energy production and inflation.

Busing bill sent to Ford

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The House yielded to the prevailing adjournment mood Monday and gave up its repeated demands that Congress pass an antibusing amendment this year.

It voted 224 to 136 to accept Senate language modifying the amendment and sent an \$8.8 billion supplemental appropriations bill funding a variety of government programs to President Ford for his expected signature.

As sent to the White House, the bill contained an amendment barring any of the bill's \$4.1 billion in education funds to be used for activities that are necessary before the government can order busing of pupils to achieve school integration.

But the Senate language tacked on by a 35-27 vote added "except as may be necessary to enforce nondiscriminatory civil rights provisions of federal law." The government would thus be free to continue ordering busing since its authority to do so is included in those civil rights provisions.

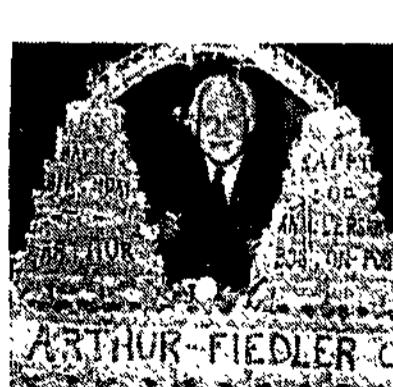
In the Senate Monday:

• A patient left unattended in a Chicago nursing home was allowed to drink and smoke. She fell asleep, spilling liquor in her lap, and then dropped a lit cigarette. She became a human torch.

• In 1970, the Detroit Health Department reported that a body was allegedly kept for two days near a nursing facility's food handling area; that fecal matter was found in a patient's bureau drawer; and that patients sat on mattresses that were soiled with their own urine and feces.

The report quoted the painful recollections by a woman from a Minneapolis' suburb whose mother suffered a stroke and was taken to a nursing home. The woman returned the next morning to find her mother tied — without clothes — in a bed in the midst of her own wastes.

Arthur Fiedler marks 80th birthday



Fiedler honored on 80th birthday

time Sunday and stole jewelry valued at \$50,000.

• On Monday: Sen. Thomas Eagleton, D-Mo., said he believes the Senate is leaning toward gasoline rationing as a solution to the growing oil crisis. He expects it to be enacted in 1975.

• The Imperial Board of the Ku Klux Klan has formed the "Americans for America" political party and nominated Dale Reusch, 35, of Lodi, O., for President in 1976. Reusch is a Ford Motor Co. engine tester and polled 63,000 votes this year in his losing bid for the Democratic nomination for governor in Ohio. He called the Democratic and Republican parties "dead horses" and cited the twin dangers of coming worldwide depression and a third world war "plotted" for 1976 or 1977.

• In San Jose, Calif., two more of the Lange sextuplets died Monday, leaving one girl surviving from the multiple births to Mrs. Charlotte Lange Dec. 8.

• Deaths: Russian-born film director Anatole Litvak, a naturalized American citizen who directed Ingrid Bergman and

Olivia De Havilland in Academy Award-winning performances, at age 72 in Paris . . . Humorist Harry Hershfield, who told jokes on the weekly radio show "Can You Top This?" in the 1940s and wrote many humorous articles for magazines, at age 88 in New York . . . The Rev. Robert Pierre Johnson, first black to be named a chief executive officer of the New York Synod of the United Presbyterian Church, of cancer, at age 60 in New York . . . Educator Kurt Hahn, founder of the Salem Castle school in Germany and whose pupils included Prince Philip of Britain, at age 88 in Salem, Germany . . . Robert J. Herwig, a member of the National Football Hall of Fame and two-time All-American at the University of California, at age 60 in Sacramento, Calif. . . Jack Gaver, United Press International entertainment columnist and dean of Broadway drama critics, Monday at the age of 68. He had reviewed the New York theater for 44 years.

People

Another jackpot?

\$10,000 Lottery winner seeks to parlay bonanza by making it in country-western recording field

by BARRY SIGALE

In the soundproof studio of Cash Recordings in dreary Maywood, Georgia Louise Arnold, a Schaumburg housewife and mother of four, is making country-western music.

Rehearsal makes perfect and Mrs. Arnold is testing her voice, warming up for her first song, a hard-driving number about William and Anne, who fell in love in the frosty morn down by the creek at the waterwheel.

Mrs. Arnold, with the help of her friends at the Illinois Lottery, is fulfilling her lifelong dream ... recording two songs she wrote with a five-piece band backing her.

She won \$10,000 in the second millionaire drawing in Springfield Nov. 13. The third millionaire jackpot is Friday at the Woodfield Shopping Center in Mrs. Arnold's home town. After donating \$2,000 to the Calvary Baptist Church in Schaumburg, she is spending another \$2,000 to make her record.

"Let's do a practice run," says Gene Cash, sitting on a stool about 10 feet away, clutching onto his 12-string guitar. "Talk into the microphone, Louise."

"Hello, there," she replies in the soft southern drawl that has remained with her since her childhood days in Martin, Tenn., about 100 miles from the hillbilly capital of Nashville.

"Say something more," Cash chuckles. "Come on."

"I hope I get through this okay," she says stiffly, her lips now a few inches from the microphone.

"Let's go," orders Cash. "Let's follow her voice. Now, Louise, you sing." He nods to her. She sings.

Cash, whose second cousin is the renowned Johnny Cash and who is a night club entertainer and record-maker in his own right, thinks Mrs. Arnold has gifted writing ability and a voice good enough to give her a shot at making a hit single. "She's got as good a chance as anybody else," he says. "We don't guarantee nothin' for her. We have friends at the radio stations and they can play the record."

Cash's Spoon River Band is tuning up, making sounds like you'd expect to hear it, somehow, outer spacemen could signal earth. Mrs. Arnold, wearing a grey pantsuit, practices her first song, "Turn, Turn, Water Wheel," which came to her when she toured Old Williamsburg, Va.

She's worried about how she's doing and it shows in her voice. She hasn't slept in two nights, and brings a stomach-full of butterflies with her. The guys in the control booth are rooting for her all the more.

"Don't fight it, join it," says Greg Kamens. "Relax and enjoy the day. It's beautiful." Then, wishing her nothing but success, he says, "I hope she becomes a multi-millionaire

from this. In this business you can make more money than the Pope knows what to do with."

Cash is encouraging her. "That was good, Louise. Just relax." She gets more comfortable, snapping her fingers to the beat of the drums and four guitars — bass, lead, steel and 12-string.

Cash does the lead-in and Mrs. Arnold follows. Several tapes are made and the musicians and singer sit down in the control booth to hear what they have recorded. Cash sits at the board, turning the knobs to hear each musician separately, then Mrs. Arnold's voice. She is sitting on a couch, in the background, letting the expert musicians take over.

"I liked that one," says Cash.

"Did I get all the words in?" says Mrs. Arnold.

"Let's play it back."

She follows the words on the music sheet with her fingers. They decide to use the tape. "She sounds like Dolly Parton," says Cash. "The song is out of the same bag."

While the musicians rest, Cash and Mrs. Arnold go over the next song, singing together while Cash plays the guitar. It's "Our Garden Of Love," a love song she wrote to her husband, Stanley.

A couple of run-throughs and they are ready to record.

"I tell you it's a pretty song," Cash exclaims.

"You're playing it faster than I'm used to singing it," she replies.

"Want me to slow it down?"

"I can get more feeling into it."

"That suits me."

They listen to the tape.

"I don't think you can beat what you've done," says Cash. "I'm happy with this one." Mrs. Arnold isn't satisfied. "This is your record. I want to please you. Let's do one more." They do another one. It is better than the others. They use it.

Now the real test comes. By the end of January the finished product will be out on the market (with fiddles and background voices added) and the public must make a judgment ... a hit or a miss. "If the song doesn't go," says Cash, "we can send it to the House of Cash (or another major studio). They might record it if they like what they hear."

In other words, if Mrs. Arnold's version doesn't sell, the song might be used by another singer looking for material. Using a different style or a varied treatment the singer might be able to convert the song into a hit, making Mrs. Arnold a success in her initial entry into the music world. And she will have owed it all to the luck of the draw, the spinning of the wheel, the Illinois Lottery.



MAKING BEAUTIFUL country-western music is Georgia Louise Arnold, Schaumburg housewife and mother of four. With the help of Gene Cash, night club entertainer and recording artist, Mrs. Arnold, who won \$10,000 in the second millionaire Lottery drawing Nov. 13 in Springfield, has made a record. The third millionaire jackpot is being held Friday at the Woodfield Shopping Center in Schaumburg.

Drink-drive calculator free to public

Illinois State Police are making available free to the public the Governor's Traffic Safety Coordinating Committee's drink-drive calculator.

The calculator can estimate blood alcohol level based upon body weight and number of drinks consumed. The device can help motorists determine a safe alcohol limit if they drink and drive.

Illinois State Police Supt. Dwight E. Pitman has issued a warning to motorists to avoid drinking and driving during the holiday season. Pitman also has cautioned persons who do drink to stay within a safe alcohol limit if they plan to drive.

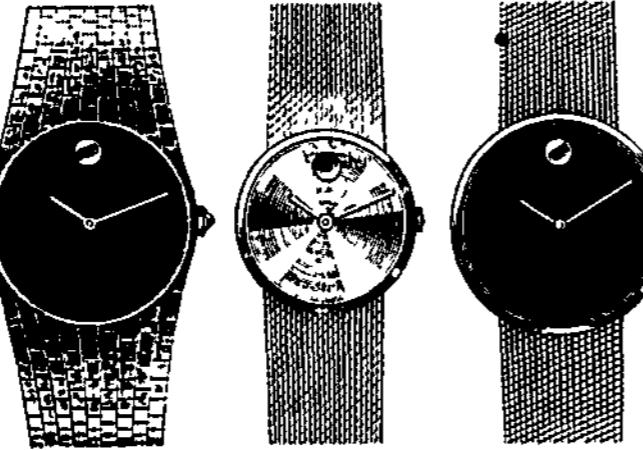
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Ring approved as principal of Elk Grove High

The High School Dist. 214 Board of Education Monday night named Donald G. Ring principal of Elk Grove High School.

Ring, district coordinator of science and mathematics succeeds Robert Haskell, who died Nov. 3 of a heart attack. Haskell had been principal of the Elk Grove Village school since 1967.

Ring assumes his duties at the high school beginning Jan. 1, at an annual salary of \$28,500. A graduate of Northern Illinois University, DeKalb, he received a master's degree in physics from the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor. He earned a Ph.D. in science education from Cornell University and has a minor in educational administration.

Ring joined the district in 1968 as a science teacher. He also has served as



Donald G. Ring

an administrative assistant and division chairman. An assistant professor of secondary education at the University of Illinois, Ring was a science education consultant for the Measurement Research Center in 1970.

He was previously a staff member of Cornell University and was an instructor for the National College of Education, Evanston.

Ring was chosen from a field of six candidates. The Herald earlier reported that Stephen Berry, assistant principal for instructional services at Wheeling High School, was a candidate for the job.

Berry did not apply for the post, however, said Robert Cudney, district director of instructional staffing.

Bill Rogers may be WHIP trustee choice

by JOE FRANZ

William (Bill) Rogers, chairman of the Wheeling Environmental Commission, may be slated by the Wheeling Improvement Party (WHIP) as a village trustee candidate in next April's election, it was learned Monday.

Rogers, who supported the incumbent To Overall Progress Party (TOP), in the last election, confirmed Monday that he is being considered by WHIP. He said he has been asked by certain WHIP members to run and would accept the nomination "with conditions."

"There are some things that would have to be settled before I would accept



William Rogers

the WHIP nomination," he said. "As of right now they (WHIP) still have not responded and I'm not sure where they stand."

Rogers refused to divulge the conditions under which he would accept the WHIP nomination. "I'd rather give WHIP a chance to consider my requests and work something out before I say anything," he said.

ROGERS IS ONE of eight persons chosen by the WHIP nominating committee from a field of about 20 candidates. The general membership of WHIP will decide Wednesday night which candidates will be slated for the four village board seats which will expire in April.

Rogers currently is not a member of WHIP, but said he would join the party before accepting the nomination. Besides WHIP, he said, several persons have contacted him about being a candidate in the next election.

"I am not a member of any party at the present time," he said. "No one has stated what their party is about and nobody has proposed any programs, so I don't know which way I'll go."

"The decision for me to run is one I've been thinking about for a long time," Rogers said. "I'm interested primarily in the operation of good and aggressive government and will make a decision based on that."

ROGERS WAS NOT member of TOP Hein and Albert Lang ran on the TOP ticket in 1973.

TOP was one of several incumbent political parties in recent years that was backed by Wheeling political boss James Stavros who is serving a four-year sentence in a federal prison for income tax evasion and extortion.

Trustee Donald Jackson is the only member of WHIP ever elected to the village board.

WHIP IS THE only party to announce an intention to run a full slate of candidates in the April 16 election. The Citizen's Action Program, a citizens' lobby and probable political party, however, also is expected to run candidates in the next election.

CAP members include Hein, Plan Comr. Jack Metzger, Police and Fire Comr. Michael Moran, and park commissioners Hugh Wilson and Frank Schmittmann. Metzger has obtained election petitions, but would not confirm or deny his intention to run for trustee.

Residents who wish to run for the village board can get petitions at the Wheeling Municipal Building, 235 W. Dundee Rd. The petitions must be filed between Jan. 8 and Feb. 10.

of the four trustees, Ronald Bruhn has said he will not run for another term. The other incumbents, Albert Lang, Edward Berger and John Koepken have not announced their plans.

The local scene

Marines seek 'Toys for Tots'

The Lake County Marine Reservists is sponsoring the 1974 Toys for Tots drive at Kemper Insurance Companies international headquarters in Long Grove.

The Marines are looking for new or new-like toys, bicycles and sleds. Toys, which should be unwrapped, may be taken to the company at 111, Rtes. 22 and 12. Signs are located on the grounds to direct donors to the collection site. Deadline for dropping off gifts is Dec. 23.

Kemper is the southern Lake County collection center for the toy drive. The nationwide Toys for Tots program is in its 27th year.

The Marines also are collecting the names of families and organizations that may need Christmas gifts. Persons with names of needy families and organizations may call the Marine Reserve unit in Waukegan at 623-7447 or Kemper at 540-2402.

Now THAT's a Christmas tree!



LOOKING LIKE TWO of Santa's elves, Skip Kenney, on the ladder, and Warren Gamble string hundreds of lights on a 50-foot evergreen in front of the Robert Weisz residence.

515 Rockwell St., Arlington Heights. Although many Northwest suburban homeowners are decorating outdoor trees now that

the energy crisis seems less a threat, this tree is attracting spectators by the carloads, Mrs. Weisz said.

Des Plaines is lone objector to MSD project

by LYNN ASINOF

Des Plaines apparently will continue to stand alone in its objections to a sewage treatment plant for the city's west side and the deep-tunnel system that will be used to connect the plant to the rest of the Northwest suburban area.

Of the seven communities affected by the plant and tunnel project, only Des Plaines plans to object at a hearing on the project scheduled Thursday by the Metropolitan Sanitary District. Elk Grove Village will testify in favor of the project and five of the six other suburbs will send representatives only for informational purposes, officials said.

The two towns most affected by the proposed project are Des Plaines and Mount Prospect. Most of the tunnels that will carry sewage to the treatment plant will be built about 160 feet under Mount

Prospect streets and parkways. The plant will be located at the southeast corner of Oakton Street and Elmhurst Road in Des Plaines.

THE PROJECT IS designed so that the combined sewage from seven Northwest suburbs will travel to the treatment center through the tunnel system. Thus most of the towns will get improved sewage treatment services while having to bear little of the brunt of construction.

The suburbs to be served by the project include Mount Prospect, Des Plaines, Arlington Heights, Rolling Meadows, Elk Grove Village, Wheeling and Buffalo Grove.

Village Mgr. Robert J. Eppley of Mount Prospect said that village basically supports the project, but said additional information is needed about construction of the tunnels. Seven of eight vertical drop shafts will be located in Mount Prospect. The shafts, which will carry sewage to the deep tunnels, will be blasted out of rock.

Eppley said he wants information on how the sanitary district plans to handle any complaints of damage which may result from the construction and blasting. He said he also wants to make sure that the construction sites will be protected so that youngsters will not be able to get into the area.

DAVID CREAMER, Mount Prospect director of public works, said he also plans to question the possibility that the deep tunnel project will reduce the productivity of two shallow wells.

Des Plaines officials are basically concerned with the sewage treatment plant, which will be built above ground. While the sanitary district contends that no odors will be produced by the plant, Des Plaines officials in part are basing their objections on grounds that the plant will produce odors which may affect nearby residences.

Wheeling is the only one of the seven communities that will not send a representative to the meeting, since it has no objections to the project.

The hearing is specifically geared for

Planners to discuss shift of zone power

The Buffalo Grove Plan Commission will discuss changes in a village ordinance that would shift certain power in zoning matters from the commission to the zoning board of appeals.

A developer's workshop is tentatively scheduled to follow the regular meeting Wednesday beginning at 8 p.m. at the village hall, 50 Raupp Blvd.

Winter parks program signup begins today

Registration for winter programs at the Mount Prospect Park District will begin at 8 a.m. today at Lions Park Recreation Center, 411 S. Maple St.

Doors will open at 8 a.m., with registration on a first-come, first-serve basis. Fees for the classes must be paid at registration.

Starting Wednesday registration will continue during regular park office hours. The office is open from 8 a.m. to noon and from 1-5 p.m. weekdays and from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday.

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Herald opinion**Dist. 59 lesson: time to grow up**

Elk Grove Township Dist. 59 officials should use the next six months — as they look for a new superintendent — to do some serious soul-searching about the direction and problems of the district.

Last week the district's school board fired Supt. James Ervitt. It also confirmed that Roger Bardwell, a former Dist. 59 superintendent, will be acting superintendent until a new man is found.

The appointment of Bardwell appears to be the wisest move the board could make now. Bardwell knows Dist. 59 because he served as its superintendent from 1960 to 1966, but he also has been away from the district long enough to have gained some perspective on its problems.

Board members, principals and teachers in the district are going to have to realize that Bardwell cannot alone solve the district's problems. His interim period of leadership should be used for reflection and reevaluation for all who have participated in the turbulent last five years of the district's history.

Ervitt is, after all, the second superintendent to be fired by Dist. 59 in five years. Though Ervitt contributed in part to his own down-

fall, there is ample evidence that he never received the kind of support and unity that would have allowed him to succeed.

In those five years, Dist. 59 has faced near bankruptcy, a teachers' strike (the first and so far only strike in the Northwest suburbs) and constant back-biting and infighting which contributed to Ervitt's departure. All of this happened in a district that, in the early 1960s, was renowned as a national educational leader.

Dist. 59's problems have been too all-pervasive to be blamed on any one person. The fault instead lies in part with weak leadership from board members and administrators associated with the district.

This is not the time for those involved to try to blame each other for the district's problems. Instead, it is time for some careful consideration about what the school district is and what can be done to weld it back into a cohesive unit which is concerned with the education of children and not with constant bickering.

If Dist. 59 is to solve its problems — and to give a fair chance to whoever becomes the district's new superintendent — the healing process is going to have to begin quickly.

Use retired teachers

There's no good reason for capable, even inspirational, teachers to be discarded at a mandatory retirement age, for good teachers do not become unqualified teachers when they reach 65 years of age.

That's why retiring State School Supt. Michael Bakalis has a good idea in helping to launch something called the Retired Volunteers in Education program.

The plan, also sponsored by the Illinois Retired Teachers Assn., will offer retired teachers to school districts that need voluntary or low-pay teacher aides, tutors, library helpers and teachers for homebound students.

For many teachers, of course, retirement is an opportunity to get away from the daily grind of the classroom and to enjoy either le-

'Heads I win, tails you lose'

Your Federal Energy Administration has some bad news for you, and some good news, and some more bad news.

The first bad news is that the FEA says it has reason to believe the oil industry overcharged the public \$1.4 billion — maybe up to \$2 billion — for gasoline, fuel oil and other petroleum products.

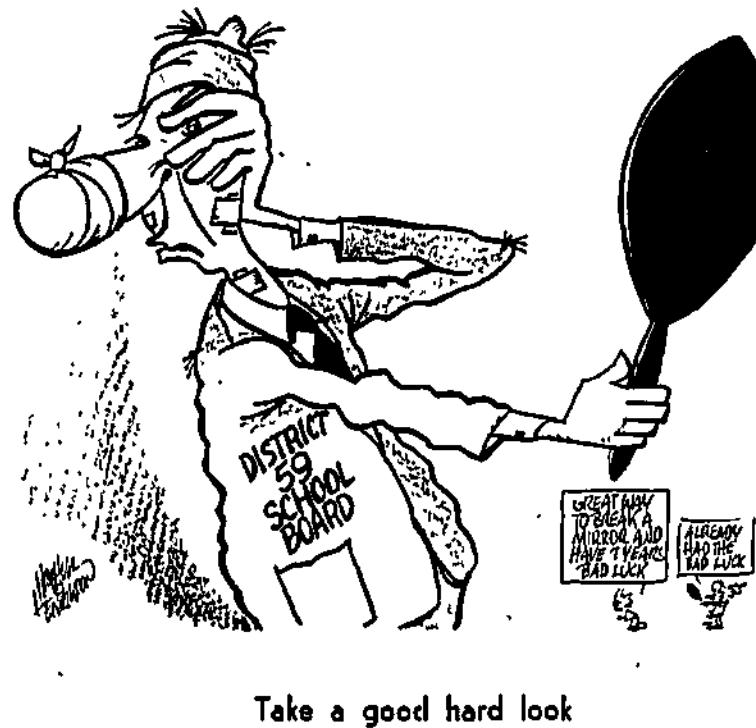
The overcharges, according to the FEA, appear to have come in the petroleum people clipping the public for more than price controls allowed. The rule has been that prices can go up only as much as costs go up, and we all have heard about those profit margins which indicate something else.

The good news in this is that the FEA says it wants to reimburse the public for those overcharges.

There seems to be great solace in that, indicating as it does that we were right in the belief that the oil industry was doing a gouge job

Tomorrow . . .

EDITORIAL: A telephone hot-line is one example of how government can reach out to the elderly of the Northwest suburbs.

**Take a good hard look****The lighter side****Congress rests for well-deserved rest**

by DICK WEST

There's a feeling around Washington that next year's Congress, with its large Democratic majority, will be the most efficient in years.

The expectation is that the lawgivers won't necessarily wait for President Ford's legislative program but rather will take the initiative on several fronts.

That prospect was heightened recently when congressional leaders unveiled a vigorous, hard-hitting recess schedule for 1975.

Exhibiting unusual foresight, the leadership boldly committed senators and House members to an extended observance of eight major holidays, beginning with Lincoln's birthday in February and ending with Thanksgiving in November.

Additionally, they set aside the entire month of August for the "August recess," thereby quashing speculation that Congress might take its August recess in July or September.

But the most daring stroke of all was the omission of a Christmas recess. This conspicuous exclusion reflects the leaders' confidence in their ability to adjourn before Christmas.



Dick West

As a dramatic play, it is tantamount to Babe Ruth pointing to the centerfield fence before hitting his most famous World Series homer.

By far the most significant feature of the schedule, however, is the strategic timing of the recesses. With one exception, Columbus Day and Veterans Day in October, they are brilliantly spaced so that no two holidays fall in the same month.

What could be more ingenious than to have the Memorial Day recess May 22-

June 2 follow the Easter recess March 28-April 7 and precede the Independence Day recess June 26-July 8?

This same resourcefulness was displayed in following the August recess with the Yom Kippur recess in September and following the two October recesses with the Thanksgiving recess.

Anyone can readily see the advantages of that arrangement over a schedule of recesses for National Peanut Month, Arbor Day, Poison Prevention Week, Evacuation Day, George Clyman's Birthday, Rudolph Diesel's Birthday and Return the Borrowed Book Week.

All of the above observances are bunched together in March. Which would make the recesses rather strenuous.

By scattering them out, Congress is assured of being fresh and well rested throughout the year — the better to grapple with our grave national problems.

If the leadership is half as effective when Congress is in session as it has been in planning the recesses, the legislative branch will be in for a banner year.

(UPI)

and cat owners who put the cat out Christmas Eve and it doesn't come back until St. Patrick's Day.

Party-givers give cocktail-and-tree-trimming parties except those with more sense have a de-decorating party because if somebody has too much punch and falls into the tree it doesn't matter because the tree is due to come down anyway.

It's the same with the ornaments themselves — anything goes.

Artistic, innovative persons decorate with gussied-up toilet paper tubes and the plastic eggs that pantyhose come in, and tradition-minded people gently hang Grandma's tarnished and cracked ornaments as long as the crackle holds up.

Young marrieds who are broke hang popcorn garlands and home-made paper chains and old marrieds who are broke buy ornaments anyway because they have forgotten how to make paper chains.

I have been through it all.

I've had to protect tannenbaum from kids, pets and other natural disasters; I've made a party of decorating the tree and I've made a shambles of it.

When I was newly married I tried to sneak the tree upstairs on Christmas Eve and decorate it when the kids were asleep like my Dad did, claiming that Santa Claus had brought it along with the toys. This made my husband unhappy, coming as he did from a household where the kids had a part in decorating the tree. It confused him, too. We didn't have any kids yet.

Even after we had children, it didn't work to decorate the tree Christmas Eve after they were asleep because after they were asleep we were busy fitting Tab A into Slot A and otherwise putting together the modern toys that Santa Claus was then bringing.

Then one Christmas the kids were old enough to help and we were in the popcorn, cranberry, paper chain syndrome. Eventually the cranberries began to ferment and the cat took to nipping on them and one thing a household doesn't need during the holidays is a tiddly cat.

The only consistent thing about decorating the Christmas tree is that no matter how or when it's done, it's always the most beautiful one around. Just like everyone else's.

Dorothy Meyer's column**There it stands; you decorate it!**

by DOROTHY MEYER

Of all the customs there are concerning Christmas, I find that the ones about decorating the tree are the least universal.

There are people who wait until Christmas Eve to put the tree up and then leave it in the house until the annual spring trash pickup, versus those who buy and decorate the tree as soon as the first one appears on the market but can't wait to take it down and get the house back to normal December 26.

Some put the baby in the playpen while the tree is up and others put the tree in the playpen until the baby grows up.

There are dog owners who spend their holidays trying to convince their pet that the tree is not a canine inside outhouse,

and cat owners who put the cat out Christmas Eve and it doesn't come back until St. Patrick's Day.

Party-givers give cocktail-and-tree-trimming parties except those with more sense have a de-decorating party because if somebody has too much punch and falls into the tree it doesn't matter because the tree is due to come down anyway.

It's the same with the ornaments themselves — anything goes.

Artistic, innovative persons decorate with gussied-up toilet paper tubes and the plastic eggs that pantyhose come in, and tradition-minded people gently hang Grandma's tarnished and cracked ornaments as long as the crackle holds up.

Young marrieds who are broke hang popcorn garlands and home-made paper chains and old marrieds who are broke buy ornaments anyway because they have forgotten how to make paper chains.

I have been through it all.

I've had to protect tannenbaum from kids, pets and other natural disasters; I've made a party of decorating the tree and I've made a shambles of it.

When I was newly married I tried to sneak the tree upstairs on Christmas Eve and decorate it when the kids were asleep like my Dad did, claiming that Santa Claus had brought it along with the toys. This made my husband unhappy, coming as he did from a household where the kids had a part in decorating the tree. It confused him, too. We didn't have any kids yet.

Even after we had children, it didn't work to decorate the tree Christmas Eve after they were asleep because after they were asleep we were busy fitting Tab A into Slot A and otherwise putting together the modern toys that Santa Claus was then bringing.

Then one Christmas the kids were old enough to help and we were in the popcorn, cranberry, paper chain syndrome. Eventually the cranberries began to ferment and the cat took to nipping on them and one thing a household doesn't need during the holidays is a tiddly cat.

The only consistent thing about decorating the Christmas tree is that no matter how or when it's done, it's always the most beautiful one around. Just like everyone else's.

Des Plaines needs community center

Dear Mayor Behrel:

As a citizen of Des Plaines, and not as secretary to the bicentennial commission, I must voice my shock and dismay at what I see happening with regard to old City Hall.

Conversations with many people through my work with the commission

verify the fact that a real need exists for a community center that will serve all the people.

The need for meeting rooms for civic organizations is indeed great. The need for a drop-in center for the golden agers with a planned program of activities or just a spot for quiet companionship is desperate. The need for young counseling services that are easily available to any young person or their parents simply cannot be denied.

The good of the community would be so well served with a building that is alive with activity all geared to the social and emotional needs of our people.

How, in the name of all that is fair, can consideration even be given to blocking out these very real needs or giving them a superficial emphasis in favor of a cultural use such as a museum that is very nice, but hardly necessary to the

day-to-day existence of our people? I do not want to be looked on as an uneducated person lacking an interest in the necessities of life, but what ever happened to the old adage, "first things first?"

I ask you to keep in mind the limited appeal of a museum as compared to the widespread needs of every segment of our community. If the historical society is allowed to take over the whole building, or even if they are only given management rights with no balance vote from the park district or local organiza-

Fence post

letters to the editor

Please spell name right

I know it may seem quite trivial to you, but when one is 14 and has just begun high school, every little detail is examined.

So when our son read Palatine's honor roll listings in your newspaper, only to find that his name was misspelled, he was disappointed. To make the A Honor Roll and to not be able to point to your name with pride is a "let-down."

It was printed Kevin Ricca and should have read Kevin Ricca (pronounced Reese).

It was spelled correctly for the caption of our daughter Kim's picture. We thank you.

We hope we can look forward to the correct spelling of our family name.

Barbara Ricca
Palatine

EDITOR'S NOTE: Error corrected.

Thanks for publicity

I wish to express my sincere gratitude on behalf of the Philoptochos society for your publicizing our recent holiday bazaar in your column. As a result, we were quite successful.

Thank you for your time and effort.

Mrs. Stanley Fistedis
Publicity
Saint John the Baptist
Greek Orthodox Church
Des Plaines

Letters welcome

The Herald welcomes and encourages letters from readers. Letters are published in "The Fence Post" column; no anonymous mail is considered for publication, and we will not withhold names on request. Letters in excess of 300 words are subject to condensation. Direct your mail to Herald Fence Post, P. O. Box 200, Arlington Heights, IL 60004.

I am writing this letter to complain to restaurant owners around the Arlington Heights-Buffalo Grove area. This is not just my individual complaint. Many people are backing me up in this letter for sure.

On a recent Friday night my girlfriend and I went to a basketball game. Afterwards we tried to find a place to eat and a place to talk to friends. Firstly we drove to McDonald's. My friend bought a shake, she drank it and we left. We were afraid to stay in there any longer in fear of getting kicked out for loitering.

Secondly, we tried Barnaby's Pizza Parlor. (We planned on going to Pit n' Pub until we recalled their new rule — "No one allowed in Pit n' Pub past 9 p.m. if under the age of 18.") When we got to Barnaby's a very stern man at the door told us about the dollar per person cover charge (which they have after basketball games, of course).

It seems clear to me, teenagers are being discriminated against. I've seen adults sit in McDonald's long after finishing their meal, talking to neighbors, never being asked to leave because they were loitering. There's no place for teenagers to go. No wonder so many teenagers are sulking at home, or going to parties and getting drunk or high. It seems these restaurant owners are profiting from it.

It is very gratifying to us to find such enthusiastic cooperation and support for the community. Thank you again.

The only other place left to go is a coffee house, that's if you enjoy listening to Jesus Freaks all night trying to get

you to "turn to God."

Where is there to go? (Especially after a game.) Can you suggest any places around the Arlington Heights area? The only restaurant left to go to is sure to start a cover charge.

April Hemstreet
Arlington Heights

Big thank you to merchants

On behalf of the Rolling Meadows Jaycees, I would like to extend a big thank you to the merchants in Rolling Meadows for their participation in our Halloween Window Painting Contest on Saturday, Oct. 26.

The merchants very graciously allowed groups of children to decorate their windows with Halloween scenes and then left the scenes on display for the week of Halloween. I would also like to thank the Rolling Meadows Shopping Center Association and the chamber of commerce for their participation in our pumpkin contest.

It is very gratifying to us to find such enthusiastic cooperation and support for the community. Thank you again.

Mrs. Karen Treiber
President
Rolling Meadows
Jaycees

Today is Tuesday, Dec. 17, the 351st day of 1974 with 14 to follow.

The moon is approaching its first quarter.

The morning stars are Mercury, Mars and Saturn. The evening stars are Venus and Jupiter.

Those born on this date are under the sign of Sagittarius.

American poet John Greenleaf Whittier was

Want to bar Choate

by BOB LAHEY
Three Democratic state legislators, all seeking to become speaker of the Illinois House of Representatives, are combining their efforts in a unique joint campaign for the post.

State Rep. William A. Redmond, D-Bensenville, keyed the campaign with a press conference in Chicago Monday at which he claimed "more votes than anyone else" in the race for the speakership.

Today Redmond will be joined by State Rep. John Matjovich, D-North Chicago, and State Rep. Gerald Bradley,

D-Bloomington, in a three-day tour of the state to seek support for their drive to bring "new leadership" to the General Assembly.

Each of the three has declared he will support either of the other two for the speaker's chair if his own election is blocked.

Each acknowledges that their first task in capturing the speakership is to block the candidacy of State Rep. Clyde Choate, D-Anna, the current Democratic minority leader in the House.

"We all agree that new leadership is needed," Bradley said Monday, "so I

guess that means we have to stop Choate."

Choate and Republican Speaker W. Robert Blair of Park Forest have caused widespread animosity among rank-and-file members of both parties for striking private deals on key legislation and ramming it through the legislature.

REDMOND PLEDGED in his press conference that he would use the powers of the speaker to assure a greater voice in legislative matters for all members of the House. He also said he believed he could help to achieve better working ar-

rangements with the state Senate and the governor's office.

Redmond estimated that he has received commitments for 30 first-ballot votes, out of 88 needed for election (assuming that all 177 representatives are present).

He said Choate's chances for election depend greatly on whether he has the overt support of Mayor Richard J. Daley of Chicago, who can probably deliver at least 42 votes for the candidate of his choice.

"Choate doesn't have very many (votes) if he doesn't have the mayor," said Redmond.

THE BENSENVILLE legislator estimated Choate's personal following at no more than half-a-dozen legislators.

Bradley, however, pointed out that Daley's support would probably swing another 20 or more votes from legislators hoping to be on the winning side when the new speaker begins passing out committee assignments. Bradley estimated that Choate would have at least 65 first-ballot votes if he gets Daley's backing.

"I am convinced that Choate can be stopped on the first ballot," Redmond told reporters. "The problem after that is the promises, the enticements that can be made" on subsequent ballots.

Redmond said he had discussed his candidacy with both Daley and Gov. Daniel Walker, but neither offered nor was asked for any promises.

ATTENDING REDMOND'S press conference were State Rep. Eugenia Chapman, D-Arlington Heights; State Rep. Joseph Lund, D-Evanston; State Rep. Glenn Schneider, D-Wheaton, and State Rep. James Houlihan, D-Chicago, all of whom said they would refuse to be bound by a vote by the Democratic caucus to cast a unanimous vote for the party candidate for caucus.

Democrats will caucus on Jan. 7 to nominate a speaker, who will be elected at the first session of the 75th General Assembly the following day.

With a majority of 106 members in the new legislature, the anti-Choate forces need at least 18 votes to deprive Choate of a first-ballot election.

The joint campaign by Redmond, Bradley and Matjovich will be a frank appeal for support from the press in major population centers such as Rockford, Peoria, Springfield and East St. Louis to encourage Democratic legislators to prevent Choate's election.

Fire kills college student

An 18-year-old college student from Indiana was killed in a fire in a house trailer in Olney Sunday.

Authorities Monday were investigating the death of Kim Mayer, a student at Olney Central College where she was editor of the school yearbook.

Authorities said Miss Mayer was visiting at the house trailer occupied by two students, with her roommate. The roommate and her boyfriend left for a car ride shortly before the blaze broke out early Sunday. They said Miss Mayer was apparently alone in the trailer when the fire broke out and gutted the structure.

Patrols for crime areas

Five hundred Chicago policemen will work on their days off to patrol high-crime areas of Chicago, Mayor Richard J. Daley said Monday.

Daley and Police Supt. James M. Rockford announced the program at the same time that a federal court judge agreed to approve an emergency hiring plan presented by the city to fill 600 vacancies on police rosters.

U.S. District Court Judge Prentice H. Marshall — who last month ruled Chicago police eligibility tests discriminated against women, blacks, and Latinos — said the 600 could be hired from the existing list, but only if the city agreed to hire no more than that number until hearings are held on remaining issues in a Justice Dept. suit against the city.

2 men killed in robbery

Two men were shot and killed Monday in an apparent robbery attempt at a gun store in Posen.

First reports of the incident at Suburban Arms Gun Store said the victims were Matt Counts, owner of the store, and a clerk, but police declined to make a positive identification. Immediately, a Midlothian police department dispatcher said two young men were sought in the slayings. The victims were believed to have been killed with shotguns.

6 cops hurt in drug raid

Six Chicago policemen received minor injuries in a narcotics raid on the South Side Monday.

All six were treated at Mercy Hospital, three for wounds from shotgun pellets and three for bruises.

A hospital spokesman said no policemen were admitted to the hospital. "Those with bruises must have fallen down," the spokesman said.

Police said they went to a two-story townhouse to arrest several suspects after one of the officers purchased a quantity of marijuana. Three men, including one in a wheelchair, began shooting at the officers from a second-story window, police said.

Although police were holding three suspects for questioning no formal charges were filed Monday afternoon. Police seized several handguns, a rifle and a .45-caliber rifle.

Prisons get \$205,556 grant

A \$205,556 grant to expand the career development program in state correctional institutions was approved Monday by the Illinois Law Enforcement Commission.

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Miscellaneous

Other bills would:

Cut the Illinois sales tax from 5 cents on the dollar to 2 cents.

Permit the sale of liquor within 100 feet of churches, schools or hospitals, provided such sale was not the primary business of the establishment.

Lower the bond required of grain dealers who have been in business for five years or more.

Authorize the secretary of state to issue identification cards to nondrivers.

Tighten the state ethics law by requiring a complete listing of sources of income.

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A 'wartime atmosphere': officials

College campuses: calm before the storm?

by WANDALYN RICE

In the years since the Cambodian invasion and the killings of four students at Kent State University, the events that marked the highest point of student protest, it has nearly become a cliché that college students have reverted to the quiet mood of the 1960s.

Despite that conventional wisdom, however, college officials and students dispute the charge of apathy. What is going on, they say, is an inward-turning, and introspection on the part of students about themselves and their role in society.

In addition, a mood of siege prevails on many campuses as the economy worsens, a mood characterized by the number of times college officials in interviews refer to a wartime atmosphere.

"YOU DON'T get a lot of people talking about the economy," Joseph Allman, a political science professor at the University of Oregon and one-time political activist, said. "I think everyone assumes that it's going to be hell in this society for a long time. It's sort of like the attitude during the war — everyone assumes it's going to be bad and that there is not much anyone can do about it."

"We are seeing an increase in the number of students who have to withdraw from school because of the economy," Paul Ginsberg, dean of students at the University of Wisconsin, said. "When people talk about people on fixed incomes being hurt by inflation, they usually think of the elderly, but students also are on fixed incomes."

The one thing that has disappeared is the mass political movement, with one exception — women are becoming more active in feminist groups. "I have been hearing more and more from women who are not what I would consider radical," Hugh Satterlee, dean of students at the University of Illinois, said. "Women are aspiring toward different kinds of careers, and when they have difficulty they are vocal about it."



THE SOAP OPERA "All My Children" attracts viewers at noon at Harper College in

Palatine each day and also has fans on other college campuses. The interest in the show is

one of the few identifiable "fads" among college students.

What politics remains tends to focus more on local issues than on the national scene. At Northern Illinois University in DeKalb, a voter-registration drive this fall got 4,000 students registered to vote and prompted Mo Schub, president of the NIU Student Assn., to say, "Students are interested in representation in the areas where they live. There isn't apathy so much as there is a

switching of priorities."

ANOTHER CHANGE, particularly marked to administrators who lived through the era of maximum student unrest, is the disappearance of the conformity of militant politics. "Students don't stereotype themselves," Satterlee said.

Ginsberg said that at Wisconsin, "You no longer hear the cry for relevance in classes — there is much

more openness to different things. Everything doesn't have to be 'relevant' in the same way it did a few years ago."

Campus fads also reflect the current trend away from "stereotypes." With the exception of the brief "streaking" madness last spring, most fads involve relatively small numbers of students. "There isn't the

same compulsion to follow fads that there was in the '50s," Satterlee said. "Students can go to parties quite dressed up and be there with someone in jeans and everyone is quite comfortable. It isn't like the days when everyone had to have a grey felt skirt."

The University of Illinois, Satterlee said, is currently enjoying a fad that

has some direct relation to the economy. The Air Force ROTC program sold a group of the dark blue Air Force overcoats for \$5 apiece and students snapped them up. "I know one girl who has one so long it drags on the ground," he said. "She told me it was too big a bargain to pass up."

SOME SCHOOLS also are enjoying a fad in the television soap opera "All My Children," which is shown at noon on ABC. At Illinois, Satterlee said he discovered the fad when he walked by a television room which was "jammed with students."

Satterlee said he discussed the show with a group of students over dinner at a dormitory one night and "they said they don't spend that much time watching the show, but somebody always seems to know the plot."

Students also seem to have turned toward more studying — but not, Ginsberg said, because of any increased love of learning. "The competition is becoming more intense," he said. "This society has ways of putting value on people and grades is one method."

Allman confirms that the trend also is apparent on the West Coast. "Many students are very serious about grades," he said, "but those aren't necessarily the brightest students — they are the kids who are pretty afraid of making it and aren't sure there will be a place for them when they get out of school."

ALTOGETHER, the picture of college campuses today seems to mirror the rest of American society — worried about the economy and inflation, disillusioned with governmental structures, or at least with national government, and concerned with "making it" on a personal level.

"I would not describe the students of today as apathetic," Ginsberg said. "The energy's still there, but it is being directed in different ways. There is a level of skepticism — and I'm not sure I'd call it a healthy skepticism — it's almost a depressing skepticism."

Licensing quirks examined

Fire official in state probe of foreign-trained medics

SPRINGFIELD, Ill. (UPI) — Gov. Daniel Walker Monday fired a high official in the Illinois Dept. of Registration and Education following a two-month probe into the licensing of foreign-trained physicians and nurses.

Walker's office, in a printed statement, said John B. Hayes was "removed for cause" from his post of superintendent of registration. It said files of the investigation will be turned over to the Sangamon County state's attorney.

Ronald E. Stackler, registration and education department director, has noti-

fied three graduates of foreign medical schools recently licensed to practice in Illinois that proceedings to revoke their licenses are being initiated, the statement said.

Hayes was appointed to his post in 1963 after serving two years as the department's chief investigator. He began his state employment in 1959 as an administrative assistant to then state treasurer Joseph Lohman.

The investigation leading to Hayes' removal was conducted by Walker's Office of Special Investigations.

State public aid department opens office, plans hotline

The Illinois Dept. of Public Aid opened a northern district office on Chicago's North Side Monday and revealed plans for a toll-free telephone line to provide service for Northwest suburban residents.

The new office, 5822 N. Western Ave., will be open from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. It will serve recipients of Aid to Families with Dependent Children and offer medical assistance, food stamps and aid for eligible recipients of federal Supplemental Security Income payments.

All current public-aid recipients should receive mail notification of their records being transferred to the new office.

Residents of the area needing information about eligibility for service or appli-

cation procedures can call the office now at 275-1200. The toll-free service will begin within a few weeks.

The free service will allow Northwest suburban residents to obtain information, request applications and talk with caseworkers without paying toll charges.

The new four-story office building will mark the first time all public-aid services have been provided under one roof and eliminates the need for recipients to go to separate offices to obtain food stamps, department spokesman said.

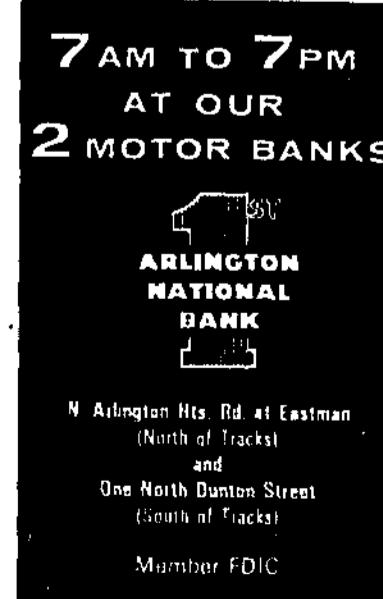
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Yule gifts can be found at post office

The answer to busy last-minute holiday shopping may be found at the post office.

Many postal related items are on sale at the post office, and most are less than \$5. The items include mint sets of every 1974 commemorative stamp, sets of 1973 and 1972 commemorative stamps, a paperback book of stamp illustrations and stories and a pocket scale to weigh letters.

The post office is at 202 E. Evergreen Ave.



Crime compensation

What are the major changes in the Illinois Crime Victims Compensation Act?

Any person related to the victim of a crime of violence, even though he was not dependent on the victim for his support, is now eligible for reimbursement of funeral and medical expenses which he paid for the victim. Another amendment authorizes the filing of claims for as little as \$200.

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Air-tight containers keep cheese from getting hard

Dear Dorothy: You have no idea how much you've helped me in my private war on the HCL. We like cheeses and always have several kinds on hand. When I read about those airtight plastic containers, I went looking right then. The cheese store had one about nine inches in diameter, three inches tall and with a cover that fits perfectly. Put a folded paper towel on the bottom, and after considerable use I am astonished to find it seems slightly damp but not moist. There is no more rummaging for packages — and my investment was only \$1.50. I've already saved more than that in cheeses that stay perfectly. — Helen Amundson

Dear Dorothy: Saw your instructions for making up a lye-base paint remover. I, as you, was terrified as no safety instructions were included. One should wear eye protection or a face shield; wear long-sleeved shirts and long skirt or pants; wear rubber gloves — and wash immediately any area of skin which comes in contact with the mixture. Yours for safety. — William R. Redman

Glad you wrote as you did. I've been a nervous Nellie for years, and the reason I didn't go into detail is only because of chafing for being overcautious. Truth is that anyone who doesn't check instructions — on everything used in the home — is cuckoo.

Dear Dorothy: I have three boxes of confectioner's sugar — all hard as brick. What do I do to soften them? — Eloise Chatfield

The experts say there is no way, but there are two things you might try. One is to put the sugar in the freezer for at least two days. The other is what a gro-

The homeline

by Dorothy Ritz

cer said to do with hard granulated sugar — to put the box in a cloth bag (in case a paper sack breaks) and tap it all over with either mallet or hammer. After broken up sufficiently, use a rolling pin. I'm betting on the freezer.

(Mrs. Ritz welcomes questions and hints. If a personal reply is required, please enclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope. Write to her in care of Suburban Living, Paddock Publications, Box 280, Arlington Heights, Ill. 60006.)



Mr. and Mrs. William Schneider

Birth notes

Just in time for holiday

NORTHWEST COMMUNITY

Bradley Charles Glenn is the first child for Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Glenn, 123 Idlestone Ln., Schaumburg. The 8 pound 6 ounce baby boy was born Dec. 10 and his grandparents are the Charles G. Glenns, Elmhurst, and the J. T. Fullers, Middlebown, N. Y.

Jeffrey Steven Bartlett is the new resident at 933 Plum Grove Rd., Buffalo Grove. Born Dec. 6, to Mr. and Mrs.

James Bartlett, Jeffrey tipped the scales at 8 pounds 7 ounces. He was welcomed home by Craig, 5, Don 3, and the boys' grandparents are Dr. and Mrs. D. H. Rueter, Moline, and Mrs. R. W. Bartlett, Forest Park.

Brian Patrick Church weighed 8 pounds 4 ounces at birth on Dec. 5. He is the first child for Mr. and Mrs. David J. Church, 5100 Carrageway Dr., Rolling Meadows. The newborn's grandparents

are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Colburn and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Church, all of Arlington Heights.

Amy Lynn Berntzen was born Dec. 4 to Mr. and Mrs. Eric D. Berntzen, 2 Webster, Schaumburg. The baby girl weighed in at 7 pounds 10 1/2 ounces and joins a sister, Rebecca, 3, at home. The girl's grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Silbgen, Palatine, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Berntzen, Tucson, Ariz.

Christopher William Snyder makes a boy and a girl for Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Snyder Jr., 1450 Volkmer Tr., Elk Grove Village. The 10 pound 3 ounce baby was born Dec. 6 and his sister is Kimberly, 3. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Snyder, Elk Grove Village, and Mr. and Mrs. Irving Strumph, Des Plaines are the children's grandparents. Mrs. Ethel Waliers, Elk Grove Village, is the great-grandmother.

ALEXIAN BROTHERS

Michael Joseph Mullins is the name chosen by Mr. and Mrs. Michael Stewart Mullins, 105 S. Roselle Rd., Schaumburg, for their first child, born Dec. 5. Michael tipped the scales at 7 pounds 15 ounces. His grandparents are Mrs. Alice Keller, Schaumburg, and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon E. Mullins, Plantation, Fla.

Mrs. Rosalie Vercelli of Mount Prospect and Louis Vercelli of Chicago announced the engagement of their daughter, Kathleen, to James G. Carr, son of the Raymond Carrs of Park Ridge.

A June 28, 1975 wedding is planned. Graduating in '73 from Forest View High School, Kathleen now attends Harper College and also works at The Lutheran Home and Service for the Aged. Her fiance is with ITT Continental Baking Co., Schiller Park.

Technology, Chicago, and works for Montgomery Ward, Rosemont.

Welcome Wagon sets holiday dance party

Welcome Wagon of Palatine will hold its holiday dance and cocktail party Saturday, beginning at 8 p.m., at the Plum Grove Club. Two professional dancers will present a revue entitled "Christmas in Hawaii," at 8:30 p.m. A combo will play dance music following the show. Cost for entertainment is \$8 per couple. Set-ups and soft drinks will be provided. Reservations may be made by calling Mrs. Mary Matthew, 359-6022. Members and guests are invited.

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suburban living

Elk Grove couple wed Nov. 30 in Maryland

Two Elk Grove Village residents were wed in a double ring, candlelight ceremony Nov. 30 in Hagerstown, Md.

Carolyn Marie Ewan, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Wade Ewan of Maugansville, Md., became the bride of William E. Schneider, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Schneider of Mount Prospect.

Carolyn chose a white floor-length gown featuring an empire waist, stand-up collar and yoke trimmed with pearls, and a long cathedral-length train.

She wore a pleated headpiece also decorated with tiny pearls and carried a bouquet of silver and white roses.

The matron of honor was Mrs. Joyce Dennis of Millford, Del. Bridesmaids included Judy Almdale of Arlington Heights; and Linda Hammer and Cyndi Diddle, both of Elk Grove Village.

Laurie Ann Campbell of Maugansville, Md. was a junior bridesmaid and Sonny DeAnn Dennis of Millford, Del., was a flower girl. Both girls wore powder blue satin gowns with matching stoles while the rest of the attendants wore long, purple A-line gowns with floor-length

matching capes.

SONNY AND LAURIE also carried white baskets of mums while the other attendants carried cascades of blue, purple and white mums.

Best man was Davis Schneider, the groom's brother of Whitefish, Bay, Wis. John L. Ewan, the bride's brother of Glenview; Robert Schneider, the groom's brother of Mount Prospect; and William H. Schneider, the groom's uncle of Plattsburgh, N.Y., were ushers.

A buffet dinner for 125 guests was held in Maugansville after which the couple left to honeymoon for a week in an undisclosed location.

Carolyn is a graduate of Shepherd College in Shepherdstown, W. Va., where she received a B.A. in Home Economics. She is currently the manager of the snack shop at Northwest Community Hospital.

HER HUSBAND, a graduate of Chicago City College, is employed by Groen Division of Dover Corporation in Elk Grove Village. The couple is also residing in Elk Grove Village.

Movie roundup

ARLINGTON — Arlington Heights — 255-2125 — "Blame in Love," (R) plus "Blazing Saddles."

CATLOW — BARRINGTON — 381-0777 — "Airport '75," (PG)

MOUNT PROSPECT CINEMA — Mount Prospect — 392-7076 — Theater 1: "Brother of the Wind," (G); Theater 2: "The Trial of Billy Jack," (G)

DES PLAINES — Des Plaines — 824-5253 — "Thunderbolt & Lightfoot," (R) plus "The Bank Shot," (R)

ELK GROVE — Elk Grove — 593-2255 — "Devil's Triangle" plus "Chariot of the Gods," (G)

GOLF MILL — Niles — 296-4500 — Theater 1: "Airport '75," (PG); Theater 2: "Odessa File," (PG); Theater 3: "That's Entertainment," (G), (G)

PROSPECT — Mount Prospect — 253-7435 — "The Internecine Project," (PG)

RANDHURST CINEMA — Randhurst Shopping Center — 392-9393 — "Earth-

quake," (PG) plus "Where the Lilies Bloom," (PG)

The Movie Rating Guide is a service of film-makers and theaters under the Motion Picture Code of Self-Regulation

(G) Suggested for GENERAL audience.

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(R) RESTRICTED: persons under 16 not admitted unless accompanied by parent or adult guardian.

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Concerts, plays chorals for Yule

Palatine-Rolling Meadows Dist. 15

Christmas activities at Sanborn School, 101 N. Oak St., Palatine, and Wood School, 50 E. Wood St., Palatine, are being planned for this week by students and members of the Sanborn-Wood PTA.

Sanborn School will hold its Christmas programs for students and parents today at 7:30 p.m. in the gymnasium of the school, and Wood School students will hold their Christmas program Thursday at 1:30 p.m. in the Sanborn School gymnasium.

The Sanborn-Wood PTA will sponsor a Santa's boutique during school hours at Sanborn School Thursday and Friday. Gifts will be nominally priced.

Pleasant Hill School, 434 W. Illinois Ave., Palatine, will hold its annual holiday book fair today, Wednesday and Thursday at the school.

Wheeling-Buffalo Grove Dist. 21

London Junior High School choral concert, "Merry Christmas from Charlie and the Gang," will be presented today at 8 p.m. at the school, 1001 W. Dundee Rd., Wheeling.

The boys chorus will present "Elijah Rock"; "Away Rio"; "Go Tell It on the Mountain," and "Suspended for Christmas."

Selections by the seventh-grade girls chorus include "Carolling, Carolling" and "White Christmas." "He is Born"; "The Entertainer," and "Silent Night" will be sung by the eighth-grade girls' chorus.

"Christmas Comedy" will be presented by the Cooper Junior High School Drama Club at schools in Wheeling-Buffalo Grove Dist. 21 this week.

The cast includes Ellie Walaitis, Tracy Griffith, Caryn Maynen, Tony Ventura, Dan Hesler, Rick Bledsoe, Larry Pearson and Loretta Chaney.

Schools

Schaumburg Township Dist. 54

Primary and intermediate students at Dirksen School will hold a holiday music concert today at 7:30 p.m. in the gymnasium of the school, 116 Beech Dr., Schaumburg.

Irene Morris, a mother of a Dirksen student, will accompany the musical groups. Refreshments will be served by the PTA following the performance.

The MacArthur School PTA will meet today at 7:30 p.m. in the gymnasium of Eisenhower Junior High School, 800 W. Hassell Rd., Hoffman Estates.

Following the meeting holiday music will be presented by the kindergarten, first and second grades. Refreshments will be served in the cafeteria.

The PTA of Muir School, 1973 N. Kensington Rd., Hoffman Estates, will conduct a general meeting today at 7:30 p.m. at the school.

Parents will meet in the school's multipurpose room for a Christmas concert by children in all the grades. Refreshments will be served.

Mount Prospect Dist. 57

A Christmas concert will be presented by students at Westbrook School, 103 S. Busse Rd., Mount Prospect, at 1:30 p.m. today. The Cadet Band and Choraleers also will perform.

Des Plaines Dist. 62

A Christmas program featuring special Yule music by the band, orchestra and choral groups of Algonquin Junior High School, 767 Algonquin Rd., Des Plaines, will be presented at 7:30 p.m. today.

A short business meeting of the PTA will precede the concert and a bake sale will be in progress before the program and throughout the evening. Parents, families and friends are invited to attend.

The students of South School, Everett and Cora streets, Des Plaines will present "Snoopy's Christmas" at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday at the school.

The program will include a medley of Christmas songs by the second, fourth and sixth grades and the fifth-and sixth-grade chorus and school band.

A short PTA business meeting will follow the program. Refreshments will be served by the second-and fourth-grade mothers.

Cub Scout Pack 63 will sell Christmas ornaments with proceeds donated to Christmas charities to help needy families in the community.

High School Dist. 125

The Spanish Club at Stevenson High School, Prairie View, will sell piñatas this week in the school lobby from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Money raised from the piñata sale will go toward the club's Easter trip to Mexico. The piñatas cost from \$1.50 to \$3.

The Stevenson High School band concert of Christmas music will be given Wednesday at 8 p.m. at the school.

The symphony band will present Russian Christmas music, "Sleigh Ride" and "Toy Symphony."

The honor band will play Mozart's "Titus Overture," "Caribbean Christmas," and "Festive Overture."

High School Dist. 211

Students at Hoffman Estates High School, 1100 W. Higgins Rd., Hoffman Estates, will stage a one-hour holiday performance Wednesday and Thursday for third-graders in Schaumburg Township Dist. 54 schools.

The freshman chorus will sing about 10 minutes of holiday music for the children and the drama club will present two one-act plays — "A White Christmas" and "The Dancing Doll Decides."

St. Zachary School

Students from St. Zachary School, 867 W. Algonquin Rd., Des Plaines, will be on the "Ray Rayner and His Friends" television show today from 7:30 to 8 a.m. They will demonstrate their proficiency in physical fitness that won the school the 1974 State Champions award by the President's Council on Physical Fitness and Sports.

School lunch menus

The following lunches will be served Wednesday in area schools where a hot lunch program is provided (subject to change without notice):

Dist. 214: Main dish (one choice): Creamed turkey, grilled cheese sandwich, wiener on a bun. Vegetable (one choice): Whipped potatoes, buttered peas. Salad (one choice): Fruit juice, tossed salad, relish dish, molded gelatin salad, muffin, butter and milk. Available desserts: Tapioca pudding, pineapple pie, graham chocolate cake and safari cookies.

Dist. 211: Barbecued hamburger on a bun or submarine sandwich: "Tater Tot," tomato juice, banana cream pudding and milk. Available desserts: German-style cookie, chocolate cake, apple pie, chocolate pudding and gelatin.

Dist. 125: Italian beef on a kaiser roll or hamburger on a bun; german potato salad, soup of the day with crackers, peach halves, milk and juice.

Dist. 15: Hamburger on a bun with pickle and catsup, buttered green beans, chilled peach half, sugar cookie and milk.

Dist. 23: Chili with crackers, orange juice, fruit salad and milk or ravioli, homemade roll, green vegetable and milk.

Dist. 26 and St. Emily Catholic School: Hotdog on a bun, pork and beans, catsup, onion, hot-dog bun, pickled onions and milk.

Dist. 21, 54, 96: Willow Grove, 62's Irregulars Junior High, Central, Maple, Elmhurst, Cumberland and North schools: Frankfurter with a bun, tater barrels, carrot cubes with margarine, catsup, milk and candy.

Dist. 62's Algonquin Junior High: Buttered baked chicken, whipped potatoes, buttered bread, fruit cup, orange juice and milk.

Dist. 54's Algonquin Junior High: Turkey with gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, hot roll, butter and milk.

Dist. 62's Forest Elementary: Orange juice, oven-fried chicken with rice, buttered carrots, roll, butter, cranberry sauce, cookie and milk.

Dist. 62's O'Farrell Place Elementary: Tacos with meat, cheese and lettuce; corn bread, chili beans, orange juice and milk.

Dist. 62's South Elementary: Chopped hamburger with gravy over rice, roll, butter, cabbage, cheese stick, orange juice, cranberries, chocolate pudding and milk.

DIST. 207: Malone Township High School North: Tomato soup, roast turkey with gravy and cranberry sauce, dressing, mashed potatoes, applesauce or mixed vegetables, featuring: Homemade biscuits and pumpkin pie. Feature: Hamburger, hotdog, french fries, cheeseburger, salad, dessert.

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The doctor says

by Lawrence E. Lamb, M.D.

Worries over sweeteners

I would like some information about artificial sweetener. I am 20 years old, alert, and enjoy life. In fact, I teach half days. I have been using artificial sweetener for a long time, thinking it would help me avoid using so much sugar in my coffee, tea, and on my grapefruit. Now, I have been told not to use it as I have no diabetes. Is it harmful to me?

Also, is there any medication to clear veins and arteries from cholesterol or aid in preventing of hardening of the arteries? Cholesterol and hardening of the arteries are not the same, right?

In limited amounts, artificial sweeteners are not harmful to most people. Those using saccharin probably should use it only in moderation. As long as you are not a real heavy coffee or tea drinker and don't use a great deal, I don't think it makes any difference.

You don't have to be a diabetic to use artificial sweeteners. Many people who have problems preventing obesity, use them to good advantage. They do help prevent taking in too many calories. Now, of course, if you have no obesity problem and even actually need more calories, then you shouldn't use them.

The concern about cholesterol is usually related to its association with the development of fatty cholesterol deposits in the arteries that are sometimes called hardening of the arteries. The buildup is in the arteries carrying blood to the cells, and not in the veins draining blood away from the cells.

CHOLESTEROL CAN come from your food or be manufactured by your body.

A great deal can be done to prevent this problem by preventing obesity, even in small amounts, and eating a diet that is relatively low in fat, particularly the saturated fats, and low in cholesterol.

The first important step is to correct the diet along these lines. Then, in those individuals who still have high blood cholesterol and blood fat (triglycerides) levels, consideration can be given to using medicines. These are all prescription items, though, and have to be used on an individual basis. They should not be used in place of a proper diet. Correcting the basic problem should come first before considering medicines.

There are a number of people who do need medicines to lower their cholesterol values. This is true of some even after a good nutritional program and a good exercise program. The fact remains, though, that most people with cholesterol and blood fat problems, will benefit from a good diet and fitness program. In many instances, that will be enough to solve the problem.

Address your questions in care of this column to Paddock Publications, P.O. Box 280, Arlington Heights, Ill. 60006. (Newspaper Enterprise Assn.)

Win at bridge

by Oswald and James Jacoby

Have your brain on at Trick One

There are two ways to handle bad breaks. One is to let them beat you; the other is to guard against them. Frequently you can take care of the matter by paying attention at trick one.

You cover West's Jack of diamonds with the queen. People have been known to feed away from kings; but this time East produces the king. If you are careless, you take your ace right away.

Later on you lose the club finesse; East puts his partner in with a diamond and West leads a spade. You think, but thought does you no good. East holds both the ace and queen and you wind up one in the soup.

Now look how pleasant life is if you do a little thinking at trick one. You note that the king of diamonds has shown up in the wrong hand. It is possible that the same wrong hand holds the ace-queen of spades and king of clubs.

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Edward W. Bowman

Edward W. (Tod) Bowman, 36, a resident of Palatine for seven years, was pronounced dead on arrival Sunday at Northwest Community Hospital, Arlington Heights. For the last five years, he was employed as a salesman for C. B. I., a business forms firm, Chicago. He was born Jan. 7, 1938, in Sterling, Ill.

Funeral service will be at 1:30 p.m. today in St. Matthew Lutheran Church, Old McHenry Road, Lake Zurich. The body will lie in state in the church from noon until time of service. The Rev. Harold Krueger will officiate. Burial will be in St. Matthew Cemetery, Lake Zurich.

Surviving are his widow, Shirley, nee Geife; two children, Kimberly and Scott; parents, Edward G. and Erika, nee Litsander, of Highland Park; parents-in-law, Elmer F. and Ellen, nee Horak, Geife of Lake Zurich; and a brother-in-law, Ronald (Marietta) Geife of Mundelein.

Family requests in lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the Heart Assn.

Ahlgrim and Sons Funeral Home, 201 N. Northwest Hwy., Palatine, is in charge of the funeral arrangements.

Charles F. Fisher

Charles F. Fisher, 62, formerly of Des Plaines, died Monday morning in Highland Park Hospital, Highland Park. Born in Iowa, July 19, 1892, he was a vice president of National Quotations Bureau Inc., a publishing company, Chicago, with 40 years of service.

Visitation is today from 2 to 9:30 p.m. in Oehler Funeral Home, Lee and Perry streets, Des Plaines.

Surviving are his widow, Virginia H. nee Hoya; a daughter, Mrs. Carol (Kenneth) Bransky of Chicago; five grandchildren, Laura, Steven, Karen, Robert and John; and a sister, Mrs. Geraldine (George) Loeffler of Benton Harbor, Mich. He was preceded in death by a brother, Clifford L.

A funeral Mass of the Resurrection will be offered at 11 a.m. Wednesday in St. Cornelius Catholic Church, Foster and Long Avenue, Chicago. Burial will be in Queen of Heaven Cemetery, Hillside.

Paul E. Miller

Visitation for Paul E. Miller is today from 5 to 9:30 p.m. in Haire Funeral Home, Northwest Highway and Vail Avenue, Arlington Heights.

Mr. Miller, a resident of Arlington Heights since 1942, was pronounced dead on arrival Monday afternoon at Northwest Community Hospital, Arlington Heights, after an apparent heart attack. Born in Mount Pleasant, Iowa, he was a retired vice president from Continental Bank and Trust Co., Chicago, commercial department.

Funeral service will be at 1 p.m. Wednesday in the chapel of the funeral home. The Rev. Milo J. VonDrack will officiate. Burial will be in Mount Pleasant, Iowa.

Preceded in death by his wife, Gladys, nee Doolittle, and a daughter, Mrs. Ila Miller Dotts, surviving are a daughter, Paula Evans Miller of Arlington Heights; and a grandson, Michael Keith Dotts of Northbrook.

Family requests, please omit flowers. Contributions may be made to the Chicago Heart Assn.

Margaret Krizka

Miss Margaret C. Krizka, 17, of Des Plaines, was pronounced dead on arrival Monday morning at Lutheran General Hospital, Park Ridge, apparently from injuries sustained in an automobile accident on Dempster Street at Milwaukee Avenue in Niles. She was born in Chicago, March 28, 1957.

Visitation is Wednesday from 3 to 9:30 p.m. in Oehler Funeral Home, Lee and Perry streets, Des Plaines.

A funeral mass of the Resurrection will be offered at 10 a.m. Thursday in St. Emily Catholic Church, 1400 E. Central Rd., Mount Prospect. Burial will be in All Saints Cemetery, Des Plaines.

Surviving are her parents, John T. and Joan, nee Olson, Krizka; four sisters, Mrs. Kristin (John) Fassett of Hoffman Estates, Patricia Krizka of Denver, Colo., Joan and Jennifer Krizka, both at home; five brothers, John (Carol) and Gerald (Catherine), both of Des Plaines, Joseph, Charles and Thomas Krizka, both at home; and maternal grandparents, John P. and Dorothea Olson of Chicago. She was preceded in death by a brother, James.

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Deaths elsewhere

William Laird

Visitation for William Laird, 74, of Arlington Heights, who died Sunday morning in his home, after a short illness, is today in Gibbons-O'Keefe Funeral Home, 134 S. York Rd., Elmhurst, from 2 to 10 p.m.

Mr. Laird, a retired insurance sales manager for Prudential Insurance Co. of America with over 30 years of service, had been a resident of Arlington Heights for 10 years, and was a member of the 3rd Order of St. Francis, Ireland. A native of Ballindrait County, Donegal, Ireland, he was born Sept. 18, 1900.

A funeral Mass of the Resurrection will be offered at 10:30 a.m. Thursday in St. Williams Catholic Church, 2600 N. Sayre Ave., Chicago. Interment will be in the family lot.

Surviving are his widow, Ruth, nee Besso; mother, Mrs. Angela (the late Vincent) nee Armato, Provenzano; two brothers, Albert and Paul; and a daughter, Mrs. Frances Petersen.

Mrs. Anna M. Antsperger, 90, nee Schaefer, of Chicago, died Sunday in Gross Point Manor Nursing Home, Niles. She was born in Chicago March 18, 1884, and was a member of Rosary Council No. 31, Ladies of Isabella.

Visitation is all day until 10 p.m. in Kolksas Funeral Home, 4255-59 W. Division St., Chicago.

A funeral Mass of the Resurrection will be offered at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday in St. Philomena Catholic Church, Kedvale and Courtland, Chicago. Burial will be in St. Joseph Cemetery, River Grove.

Surviving are two sons, Fred R. (Beatrice) of River Grove and Donald (Priscilla) of Elmwood Park; two daughters, Mrs. Dolores (George) Graziano of Mount Prospect and Mrs. Virginia Bockstahler of Chicago; nine grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Fred W.

Obituaries

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A funeral Mass of the Resurrection will be offered at 11 a.m. Wednesday in St. James Catholic Church, 841 N. Arlington Heights Rd., Arlington Heights. Burial will be in All Saints Cemetery, Des Plaines.

Surviving are his widow, Sarah, nee Henry; three daughters, Mrs. Margaret Ann (Gene) McTigue of Mount Prospect, Mrs. Susan (Michael) Kilroy of Park Ridge and Mrs. Sarah (Richard) McGill of Buffalo Grove; four sons, William J. (Theresa) of Chicago, Patrick (Jackie) of Concord, Calif., Michael, at home and Kevin (Sue) Laird of Stoughton, Wis.; 18 grandchildren; and a sister, Mrs. Mary McLaughlin of Ireland.

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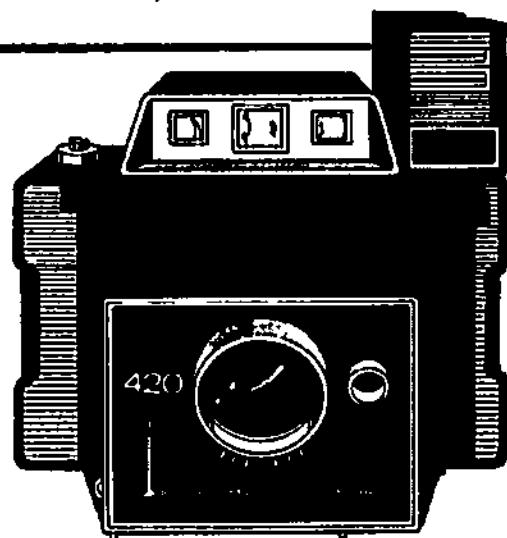
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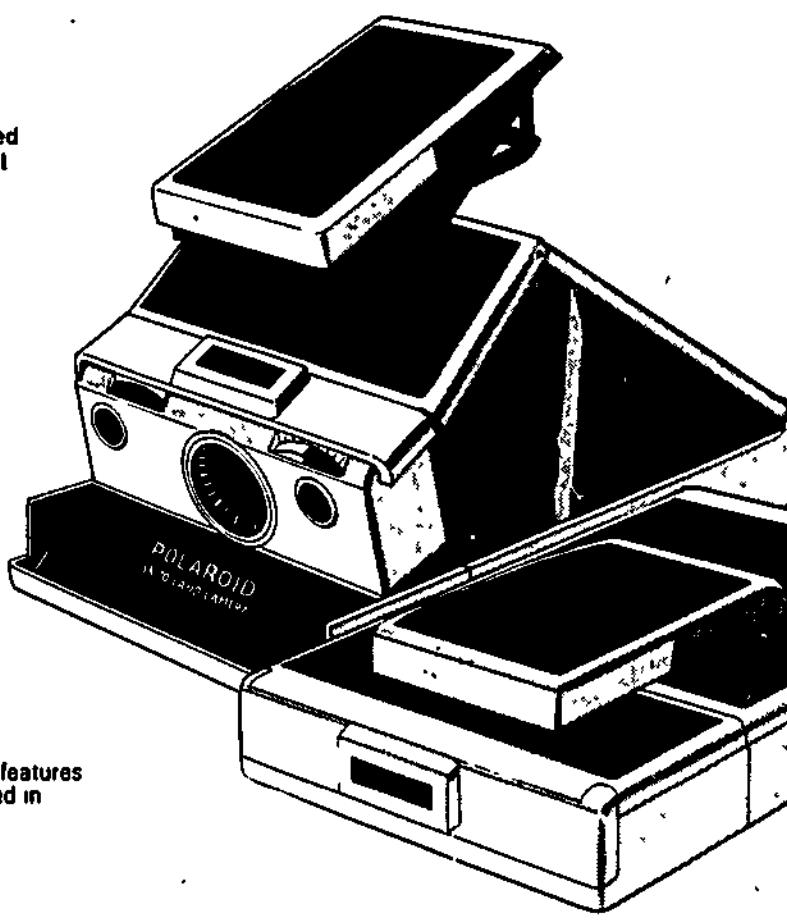
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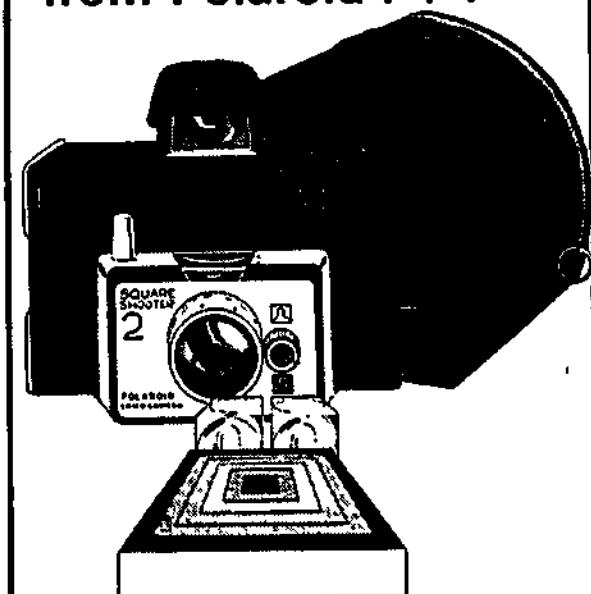
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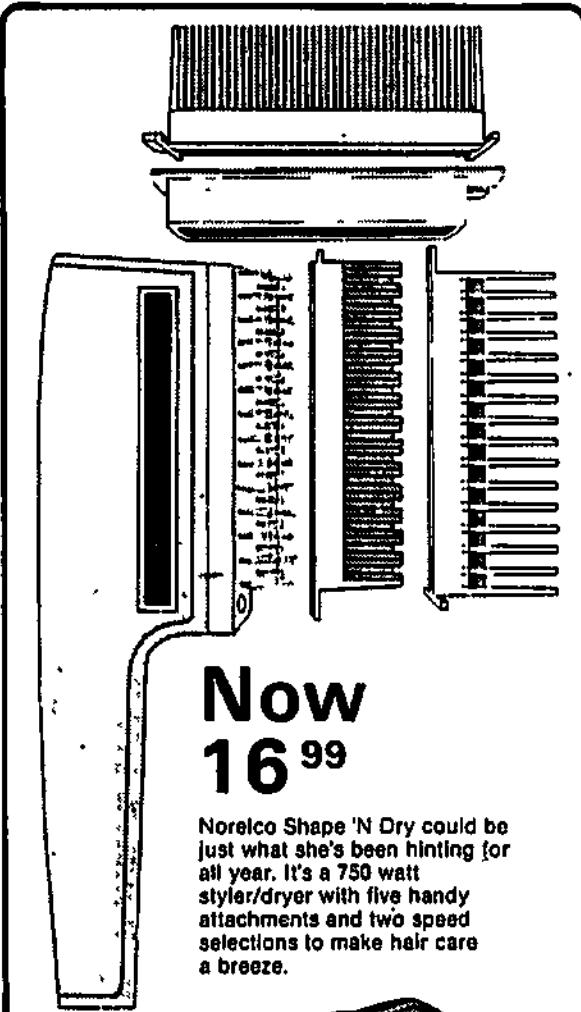
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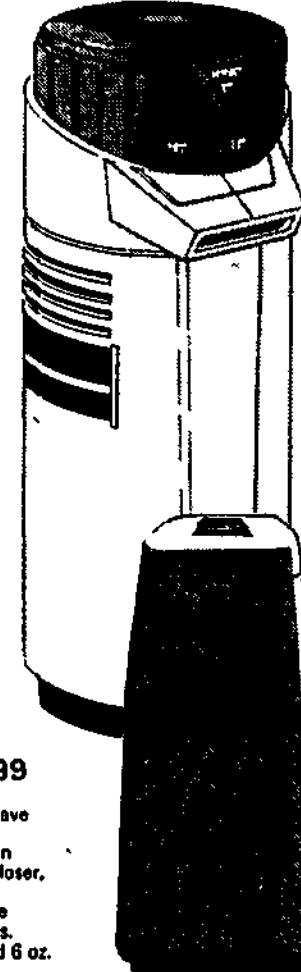
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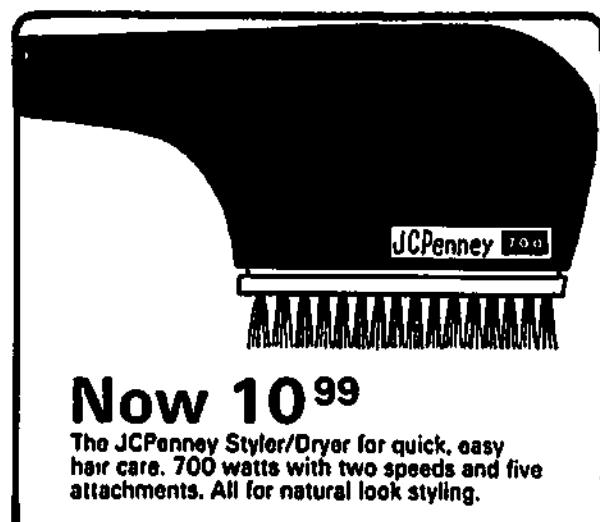


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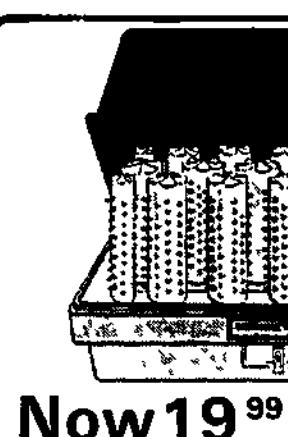


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travel

Spain's government-run paradores

hotels a true bargain



CASTLES IN SPAIN are being converted into government-run paradores (hotels) that offer comfortable and sometimes unusual accommodations at reasonable rates. Pictured is the

"Conde de Gondomar" located in Bayona. The paradores have helped to turn modern Spain into Europe's most popular tourist playground.

Many are converted castles or monasteries

by PETER UEBERSAX

MADRID — Only one in a hundred among the estimated 30 million tourists visiting Spain this year profited from one of the nation's great travel bargains, the government-run chain of three- and four-star paradores hotels.

The paradores, many of them converted castles or palaces, offer comfortable and sometimes unusual accommodation at reasonable prices. A room or suite with bath averages 700 pesetas (\$12) a night for two, including breakfast. You can buy a four-course lunch or dinner, choosing among 20 dishes including regional specialties, for 250 pesetas (\$4.25).

Spain's 88 paradores are the nation's biggest hotel chain in number of hotels, even though their combined annual turnover of 2 billion pesetas (\$35 million) amounts only to 1 per cent of the total business of the catering industry.

They are being built at the rate of half a dozen every two years to open up new regions to tourism and to set standards of comfort and service for the new resorts that usually develop around them.

SOME ARE CONVERTED medieval palaces and castles, others abandoned monasteries and still others are strikingly modern buildings.

The favorite of former U.S. Ambassador Robert C. Hill, an avid parador fan, is the 14th Century castle of Oropesa overlooking a medieval village and the Castilian plains from the top of a cliff.

The writer prefers the parador of Nerja in a little known part of the Costa del Sol, bungalow-type buildings in a tropical garden grouped around an Olympic-size swimming pool, with a lift taking bathers down to a sand beach and crystal clear waters 90 feet below.

The parador in Cuenca is a converted 12th Century castle with medieval decor and furniture. The government hotel at Bayona, on a peninsula in the ocean, is surrounded by walls dating from Julius Caesar's time. The famous Moorish castle and gardens of Granada's Alhambra would not be complete without the parador which is located in a rose-covered convent built in 1495.

THE PARADORES HAVE helped to turn modern Spain into Europe's most popular tourist playground. But the idea behind them dates back to the 1920s when only the rich, eccentric or restless members of the "lost generation" ventured into Spain.

The first parador (it still exists) was opened in 1928 in the Sierra de Gredos range near Madrid, perched 5,500 feet up a pine covered mountainside.

"Others followed," said Francisco Gutierrez de Lluna, a Tourism Ministry official in charge of running the chain.

"It is a success story that has survived the monarchy, the Primo de Rivera dictatorship, the republic, the civil war and our present regime. The chain will keep expanding, because it is doing a useful job."

With most of Spain's regions now opened up to tourism, one of the main functions of paradores is to keep resort areas going the year round. About 80 per cent of tourism is concentrated on the summer months, but the nearly one million employees of the tourist industry must find work for more than just a few months.

"WE EVEN BOUGHT and operate our own snowplows to keep paradores going throughout the year," Gutierrez de Lluna said. He readily admitted that being pioneers is sometimes a costly business.

"Some paradores are running at a loss, even though average occupancy is 75 per cent," he said. "Overall, we are now in the black, especially if you count the money which it would cost the government to maintain some national monuments now serving as paradores."

The choosing of sites for new paradores is part of the government's economic planning. They are built by the government and then leased to a government-owned company which runs the chain.

Not so many years ago, Spaniards regarded the paradores with a mixture of distrust and envy, they were places mainly visited by foreigners touring Spain by auto and priced way out of reach of the average Spaniard.

Today, 57 per cent of the clients are Spaniards.

(United Press International)

Semi-formal attire OK for Las Vegas shows

What is the temperature like in Las Vegas in the spring months? Also, does one dress formally to go to the big hotel shows?

Mrs. T. W., Des Plaines

Spring temperatures average in the 70s — cool enough in the evening for light jackets, sweaters or stoles. Most people wear semi-formal clothes to the dinner shows — dark business suit with tie for the men — long dress or dressy pantsuit for women.

Guide lines

Where can I obtain a copy of Kevin Cahill's "Medical Advice for the Traveler" which you mention from time to time?

Mrs. S.S., Buffalo Grove

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My husband will be in Philadelphia on business during our children's spring break. We thought it would be an educational experience for them (they're 11 and 14) to browse through historic Philadelphia. Could you give me some information?

Mrs. W. A., Mount Prospect

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Mt. Telemark offers kids an expanded skiing program

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Mt. Telemark, the northwoods ski resort at Cable, Wis., has an expanded ski program designed for skiing parents and their children.

Peter Parks, the physically fit grandfather who has been teaching recreation and sports at camps and schools around the Midwest, has an all-day program for the 6-to-12-year-old set, which includes two hours of ski lessons in the morning, two more in the afternoon, with time for rest and lunch in between. The day is capped off with a swim in the indoor pool, ice skating, plus group games in the lodge, such as ping pong and trompoline.

COST IS \$10 a day for the recreational program, and \$5 for lift tickets. A two-day program is \$15, and a five-day plan is \$35, plus the lift ticket fees and rental equipment, if needed. Lunch with the group, which is optional, is \$2. Skis cost \$3 to rent, boots are \$1.50 and poles are 50 cents.

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Some camera dos, don'ts for your vacation in 1975

Hoping to find a gift camera under the Christmas tree this year? Then chances are — if you take a trip sometime in 1975 — that brand new camera will be going along.

If you don't want to spoil your vacation memories with a packet full of overexposed, underexposed, or otherwise unimaginative shots, it might be smart to do a little homework first so you'll be a superlensman when you set off on your travels.

A friend of ours who works at Eastman Kodak Co. has these suggestions for taking good vacation snapshots:

- Know what your camera can do. Read instructions carefully, or better still, talk it over with the experts at your photo shop. It's also a good idea to shoot a test roll and have it developed before you leave on a trip.

- Keep your camera handy at all times on your trip — day and night.

- Take an ample supply of film when you head for foreign countries. It's usually expensive abroad — and not always available. However, be sure to check customs about the amount of film you can bring into each country you're visiting.

- Never leave a loaded camera or film in the glove compartment of an automobile or in the direct rays of the sun. Excessive heat can damage the film, especially if it's color.

- When you're on a beach keep your camera in a plastic bag. Sand and spray can do a lot of harm.

- Don't take pictures in a haphazard way. Use your imagination and plan a



picture story of your trip from the minute of departure to the moment of arrival back home.

- Remember that simple pictures are the best. Get close-ups whenever possible. Put people in your pictures as often as you can.

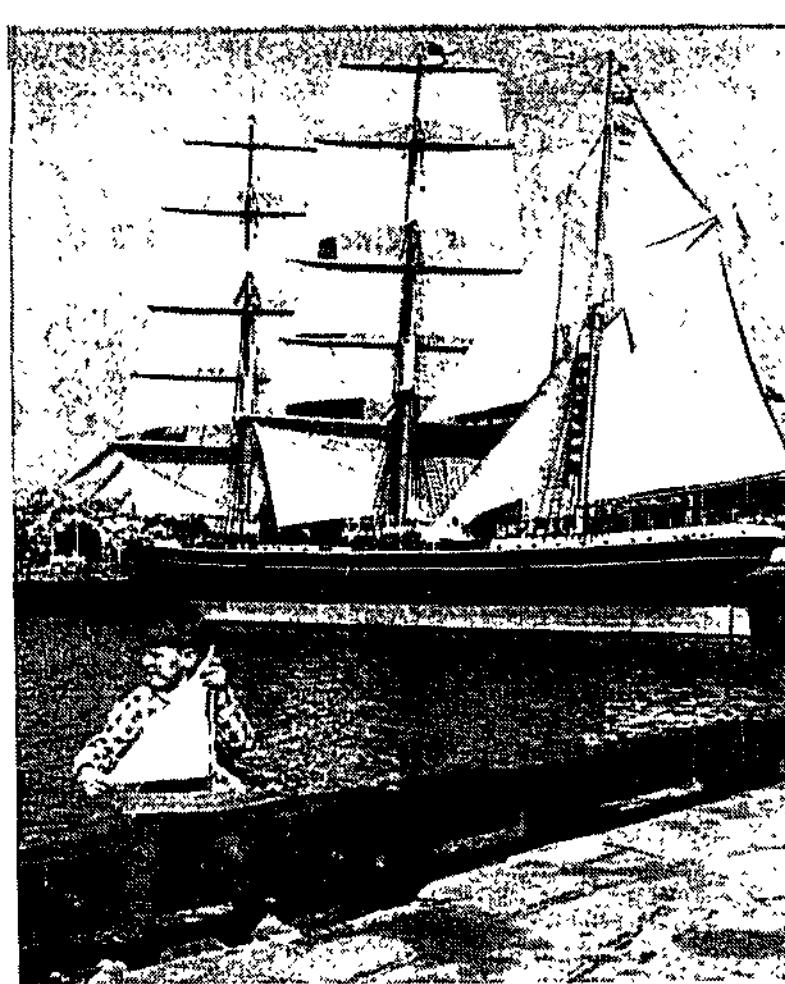
- When you travel abroad, be sure to register all foreign-made photo equipment with the U.S. Customs Office at the port of embarkation before leaving. Then be sure to slip a copy of the registration in your passport case or some other safe place so you won't have to pay duty on your own camera when you arrive back home.

- Supply yourself with fast film for use at night on sightseeing tours, city strolls or folklore shows. Again, it's a good idea to experiment at home first.

- Never take pictures in foreign countries without asking permission. Sometimes they want to be paid. Other times it's against their religious beliefs to have themselves or their dwelling places photographed.

- Don't take pictures in churches, cathedrals or art galleries. Usually there will be a sign at the entrance warning you about this — or a guide to set you straight. If in doubt, be sure to ask.

- Be sure to hang on to your camera



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CAR TRAVEL STILL ON TOP

A study shows that almost three out of every four vacation trips lasting a week or more are made by automobile. The study by the Newspaper Advertising Bureau says the use of the car is somewhat higher in the summer than at other times of the year. Air travel is the second most popular transportation means for vacationers, with one of every five such trips made by airplane.

"MULTIPLE BOOKING" DEPRIVES OTHERS

The nation's airlines are urging air travelers to refrain from "multiple booking" which may deprive thousands of potential passengers of seats during the holiday season.

Multiple booking involves making reservations on more than one flight and failing to cancel the unused flight reservations.

The practice seems to be continuing unabated during Christmas and New Year's bookings, according to the Air Transport Assn. Three airlines serving the same routes recently cross-checked their advance reservations records and found up to 35 per cent duplicate bookings.

Spain's Sobrarbe—remote in time, space

by DONALD MACKAY

BIELSA, Spain — Amid a wild tangle of Spanish peaks south of Lost Mountain and west of the Enchanted Hills lies the medieval Kingdom of Sobrarbe, three lonely valleys which seem as remote in time as they are in space.

Rare Spanish Ibex and Pyrenean chamois roam the 11,000-foot crags of the High Pyrenees on the frontier between Spain and France. The green meadows and pine and oak forests, slashed with white waterfalls and blue trout streams, look more like a sunny Switzerland than arid Spain.

If you like simple country inns, roast mutton and strong dark wine, this is a part of Europe where you still can live on about \$5 a day. Hunting and fishing is among the best on the continent. It is country for hikers, climbers and campers.

On the small farms hugging the slopes high up in the Valley of Plan, the most remote valley in this 250-mile range, farmwives still thresh oats as they did centuries ago, heating the stalks on slabs of slate. Mules are more common, and more practical, than tractors.

THE VALLEYS AND CANYONS of the 10th-Century Kingdom of Sobrarbe, which later became the eastern part of the Kingdom of Aragon, run south to north and end against the mountains on the French border. There are no roads across these high mountains.

On the map, distances are deceptive. For example, as the crow flies, the distance between this market town of Bielsa (1,000 population, two hotels and two

cafes) and the village of Torla in the next big valley to the west is 20 miles.

If you have strong legs and a good compass, you could walk it in a day or so up the mule trails and over a couple 8,000-foot passes where pockets of snow lie year-round above the timber line.

A car takes up to half a day, since you must drive south to Ainsa at the mouth of the Cinca Valley and then back north up the Ara River and the Valley of Broto.

BUT WHICHEVER way you choose, it is worth it. Beyond Torla lies the Spanish National Park of Ordesa, a green 12-mile canyon of beech and pine forests, cascading waters and towering peaks. There are no accommodations within the park.

The government inn is closed for repairs but the Hotel Ordesa, complete with swimming pool, stands above Torla near the park entrance.

Just as spectacular in a different way is the pine forested Valley of Pineta west of Bielsa, which is being linked to France by a tunnel through the mountains. Eight miles up this wide Cinca River valley, bordered by mountain walls 9,000 feet high, the all-weather gravel road ends, as does the valley itself, in the lap of Mount Perdido — the Lost Mountain.

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The Sobrarbe, well east of the Hemingway bullfight country of Pamplona, still is to be discovered by tourists who head for the crowded Spanish beaches in summer or the winter ski resorts in the Val d'Aran in the east of Condancu or Salent in the west.

THE HILLS ARE FULL of caves and overhangs where you can find shelter from the torrential, if infrequent, thunderstorms. The greatest danger is getting lost. The high trails are not marked and experienced backpackers carry an extra day's ration of food and water.

From the Spanish side of the mountains, travelers can reach the Sobrarbe from Madrid, via the city of Zaragoza which lies 100 miles south of the mountains, by train and then country bus or private car.

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The public hearing is to take place
on December 19, 1974, at the Mount
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Copies of the Environmental As-
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Wrestling Editor

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Schaumburg also came up a winner in MSL action and in the Central Suburban loop Maine West launched their campaign with a pair of wins, one at the expense of neighboring Maine East.

Friday's MSL results produced a log-jam at the top of the North Division

standings that will go pretty much unresolved until Jan. 10 when interdivisional combat begins in earnest. The Cardinals, Huskies, Bison and Wildcats all have a grip on first place and only a Dec. 21 tangle between Buffalo Grove and Wheeling will help alleviate the traffic problem before this year is over.

In the South, Elk Grove remains alone atop the heap, but they'll begin 1975 with a crucial duel against Schaumburg, Jan. 3. Meanwhile, a lot of non-conference competition remains on the docket next week as most clubs tune up for holiday tournament time.



THIS REBOUND will remain in the possession of Conant's Brian O'Donnell and Ron Sulaski (42). The Cougars dropped a tough one to Wheeling Friday, 69-36.

Demons' swimmers in easy triumph

by MIKE KLEIN
Swimming Editor

Last Thursday afternoon, sitting near his pool dispensing chocolate bars to all good young men, Maine East head swim coach Ron Davitt talked eagerly about his Blue Demons' chances in the Central Suburban League.

Hoping for a strong battle one night later from Maine West, Davitt was already anxious to face Deerfield, that matchup to occur away from home this Friday.

On one count, he's been disappointed. The East-West meet didn't offer much as the Demons romped, 127-42. The losing Warriors more-or-less forfeited the varsity level to gain a jayvee victory, 108-57.

"I was hoping for more competition and looking for better times," said Davitt whose swimmers won all races except 100 backstroke, taken by West's George Erickson in 1:01.9.

"Our kids have been looking more toward Deerfield than West," Davitt acknowledged. "There could have been



Jon
Tice



Scott
Steigerwald

some good races, such as we had against Hersey but our kids came away one-two-three.

"And it was the same for them at the jayvee level. But you put their two groups together and we'd still have them by 25 or 30 points."

Warrior coach Skip Green admitted he "couldn't really expect to win the varsity meet, even with all the kids up, so we kept them down." That included soph-

omore Tom Ptach, the Warriors' outstanding long distance freestyler.

The meet produced two double winners for Maine East. Scott Steigerwald won both longer freestyles, taking the 200 in 1:58.3 and 500 in 5:17.8. Jon Tice was fastest in 200 individual medley, 2:12.3, and 100 freestyle, 52.8.

The Demons swept first through third in all four freestyle events plus 200 individual medley. In the closest finish,

"We did pretty well," said Conant coach Ed Raymond, "and the scoring was pretty low. We performed better tonight than we did against Forest View but scored lower. We had quite a few misses but some of our kids have started hitting their routines. We'll be a 110 to 115 point team by the end of the season."

Some of the Cougars who hit their routines were Jeff Salcedo on side horse (7.70), Kevin Muenz on high bar (8.40), P-Bars (8.45) and all-around (7.68) and Steve Cory and still rings (7.55).

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Hersey's gymnasts impress with 142.68

That one miss was by trampolinist Mike Kropp, who overspun one of his new wrinkles and had to settle for a 7.30. He was topped on the apparatus, for the first time this year, by Bob Barut (7.35) and Greg Manning (7.50).

Hersey, which has begun preparations for this week's dual with Arlington, had event titles from Jeff Salcedo on side horse (7.70), Kevin Muenz on high bar (8.40), P-Bars (8.45) and all-around (7.68) and Steve Cory and still rings (7.55).

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Here's what happened in the MSL and CSL last weekend:

ELK GROVE STUNS VIKINGS

Sending three individual foes reeling from the unbeaten ranks, Elk Grove had a surprising 27-18 triumph at Fremd Friday. The Grens hopped into a quick 8-0 lead and never relinquished it in winning their second straight conference meet and sending the Vikings down to defeat for the first time in five tries overall.

Also going down to defeat for the first time were Fremd's Doug McCarthy, Dan Lynch and Jeff Sveinson. McCarthy yielded a 4-3 decision to Kevin Crews at 119, Lynch ran into a 14-4 buzzsaw named Rick Morris at 132 and Sveinson was subdued 6-1 by Leo Montemayor at 167.

Elk Grove also got a pin from 98-pound Bill Lancaster and decisions from Bob Piscitelli (105), Dan Macro (132) and Pete Genuso (185). Fremd's points came from Paul Morales (112), Diego Ramirez (126), Russ Pollard (155) and Jeff Ossler at heavyweight while Dan Stark knotted with John Carpenter of the guests at 145.

CARDS REIGN IN MUSTANGS

Arlington won the last four bouts to break up a tight meet with Rolling Meadows, winning 33-12 for their third conference victory in a row.

It was 15-12 in favor of the host Cardinals when Herb Darmofal started the fast finish with an 8-1 verdict at 155. Lee Weitz and Jim Stanczak followed up with pins and Kirk Kennedy put the clamps on with a narrow 9-7 nod over Bob Newell at heavyweight.

Other Redbird wins were posted by Steve Scott and Dan Weber in opening clashes and by Dan Kennedy and Lee Bube midway through the meet. Weber and Kennedy gained superior decisions.

The Carlstrom brothers, Jim and Roy, both corded triumphs for the guests at

112 and 119, along with Roger Matix at 126 and Larry Johnson at 145.

HERSEY FLIPS FOREST VIEW

After falling behind early, Hersey rallied to win eight straight bouts and level the visiting Falcons Friday, 31-9.

Matt DePrincipe won for the Huskies at 98 but View's Jamie King retaliated with a stunning 11-2 verdict over Jim Watters at 105 and John Gross at 112 and Kevin Smith at 119 kept things going.

WILDCATS CLAW COUGARS

Wheeling's heavies broke up a 14-14 stalemate and propelled their team to a decisive 35-14 conquest of visiting Conant Friday.

Aided by a forfeit at 185, the hosts slipped in with pins by Kurt Rathje at 155 and Ken Kent at heavyweight and a 7-4 decision by 167-pound Carl Robbins to up the 'Cat conference mark to 167.

Ken Ryan had launched the Cougars with a 4-2 win at 98 but Pat Kamins, Bob Busse and Arnie Brevis countered for Wheeling while Mike Reif was drawing with Conant's Brian Reagan at 119.

Phil Kerr (132), Ron Burkhardt (138) and Tim Goergen (145) then pulled the visitors back up even with the Wildcats beating the heavies went to work.

SAXONS RAID PALATINE

Armed with some heavy strength of their own, Schaumburg took four straight bouts at the end and logged a 31-10 decision

sion over the hosting Pirates going away. Palatine was still in contention although trailing 18-10 at the two-thirds mark. Bill Bowers, Bob Jones, Mori Belo and Ken Jaffke proceeded to wrap things up however, hiking Schaumburg's MSL slate to 2-1.

Earlier Mark Zeller of the guests had eased out a 5-3 nod over Joe Sheppard at 98 and Terry Ruddy, Joe Hannon, Ron Kuchina and Mark Mandel had helped along the Saxon cause. Pirate wins included an 18-0 blitz by Jamie Cullen at 105, a tight decision by Ed Murphy at 126 and a shutout by Joe Relchert at 145.

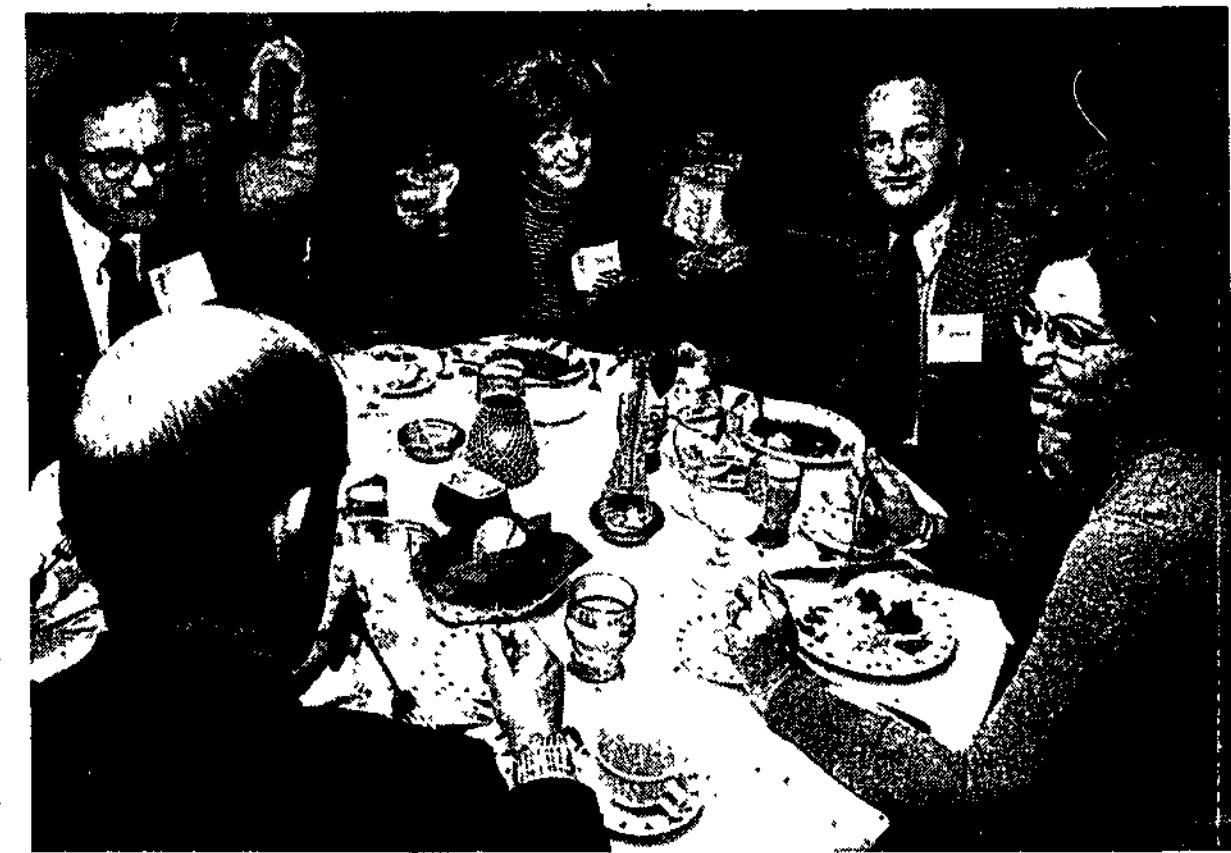
MAINE WEST SINKS TITANS

Brian Real, Louie DePasquale and Roger Herrera led the way as the Warriors posted an impressive 31-12 victory over visiting Glenbrook South Friday.

Real at 112 came up with a superior decision, DePasquale pinned his 126-pound foe and Herrera held returning state finals contender Drew Whifford almost effortlessly, 10-2 at 155. Also winning for the hosts were Tom Krauser at 98, Rob Krusinski (105), Brad Bonnivier

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Next stop . . . Rose Bowl



SAY CHEESE. Although they are unaware of it at the moment, these people occupy the winning table in Paddock Publication's "Pick the Winners" luncheon at the Brass Rail Saturday. Seated clockwise from lower left are Ed Doone, John Dunn, Barbara Dunn, Ed Guska and Marie Guska, who is the winner of the 1975 Rose Bowl trip.



FORMER UNIVERSITY of Illinois All-America running back Jim Grabowski, who played professionally with Green Bay and Chicago, now works for Sellstrom Manufacturing.

Glenbard ends winning streak by Maine North

by PAUL SVOBODA

Maine North saw one winning streak end and another begin this past weekend. Taking on Glenbard South Friday, the Norsemen were hoping to add to their four-game streak, but "our sloppy execution and lack of consistency were problems that plagued us throughout the game," said Jerry Nelson, North's head coach, of the tough 54-53 setback.

"We also tapered off on rebounding during the second quarter, and good penetration by Glenbard was too effective as it stopped us from scoring."

The Norsemen, trailing 41-40 after three quarters, surged to take the lead on the outside shooting by Dexter Brown, Mike Abraham and Ron Brooks. Both teams traded points with Maine's last hopes for victory fading with a foul. Pete Grasiano went to the line and hit both free throws, making the lead an impossible one to overcome.

George Kaufman made a last second attempt to win when he scored with a nearly full court shot, but time ran out after that bomb. It was Kaufman's 19th and 20th points — high for both teams. Abraham tossed in 13. Other leading players were Brooks with 10 points and four rebounds, Brown with eight points and nine assists and Dennis Smith with five rebounds.

Maine started off fast behind Kaufman's six straight points in the opening quarter before Glenbard finally took charge with 16-12 first period lead.

South widened its lead through lay-ups off stolen passes and held a commanding 21-13 margin midway through the second quarter. However, mistakes allowed the Norsemen to battle back. They only trailed 28-26 at the half.

Both teams played even in the third quarter, setting up the hard-fought final period.

On Saturday night, the Norsemen managed to forget the heartbreaking loss with a fine upset over a highly touted Palatine team.

SCORE BY QUARTERS

Maine North 12 14 12 15-53

Glenbard South 16 12 13 13-54



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Harper gymnasts improve scores but trail Triton

A 17 point improvement over their opening meet score wasn't enough for the Harper College women's gymnastics team to overcome a powerful Triton outfit in a double dual meet held over the weekend.

Martha Bolt's girls jumped from 72.75 in their opener, a victory over DuPage and Oakton, to 89.15 against Triton's 96.57 and Waubonsee's 83.72.

"I think the team looked as good overall as they did the first meet," Bolt said. "The girls that competed this weekend, though, scored consistently higher than they had the first meet and I think this indicates they are improving and also that we faced a higher level of competition."

Harper had racked up several event championships in the first meet but could manage only one second place and two third in their latest outing. The second place award was taken by Sherry New-

man, who totaled 8.00 on floor exercise, while the thirds went to Carol Higley (8.20 on balance beam) and Mary Ann Ehrhardt (8.10 on uneven P-bars).

"We don't compete again for nearly a month," Bolt said, "so by then I am hoping I will have my whole team healthy and ready."

"We were missing Kim Fojtik and Debby Mueller, who are both injured. They should be ready for our next meet."

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Harper will resume their season Jan. 21 at Northwestern University.

Nitch splashes to two victories

by MIKE KLEIN
Swimming Editor

How far has Arlington freestyle Joe Nitch progressed in his quest for a state championship? That's an important topic for Cardinal coach Don Anderson who believes Nitch could be on the proper course.

"We hope that he'll get under 4:50 in the 500 by the time we get to the Evanston Invitational (Saturday, Jan. 4)," Anderson said after Nitch won twice and set one meet record Saturday at the New Trier West College Events.

"By the state meet he's definitely got to get below that. It seems to be won with around a 4:45."

If Anderson's guess holds up, then Nitch must lop 11 seconds off his season best 4:56.17. That's what Nitch swam to win the 500 at New Trier. It's not quite three seconds off his lifetime best 4:53.2.

With Arlington placing fourth among nine schools, Nitch defeated Glenbrook South's Brad Stetson in the 500 and 1,000 freestyles. Nitch's new meet record, a 10:09.51 in the 1,000, barely touched out Stetson who swam 10:09.44.

"That's the first time Joe has faced good competition," Anderson said in praise of Stetson who's also gone 4:56 in the 500. "Their 1,000 race was very narrow and the 500 was neck-and-neck until the final 25 yards when Joe pulled it out."

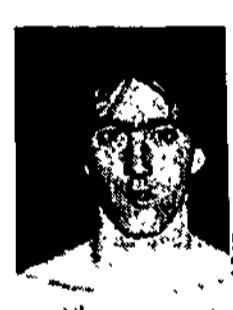
With St. Vistor placing down, out and eighth, Nitch had the only victories by a local swimmer. Arlington's Rob Carstens nudged Vistor's Mark Nelles for second in 200 backstroke. Carstens swam 2:10.4 and Nelles 2:10.1.

Points were scored through 12 places. "We nickel and dimed them to death with kids who were seeded in the third heat and came on to place," said Arlington's Anderson.

Pete Wroblewski, 2:27.75, and Kieran Mack, 2:30.03, placed third and fifth in 200 breaststroke. Diver Glenn Seaman finished sixth for the Cards.

"We tried to gear our practices down, shortened up a couple of days and didn't have a dual meet on Friday," said Anderson, pleased with his team's 123 points. "It worked out well. That's the best we've swum against good teams."

Winning Munster, defending Indians

Joe
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pre-champs, scored 231, New Trier West 183 and LaGrange 180.5 for third. But St. Vistor had to be content with just 10 points and eighth place. Oak Park was last with 93.

"I'm a little depressed. We're behind schedule," said Lien coach John Fleck. "I have a feeling it's because the kids are young and inexperienced. At least, I hope that's the reason. They have the talent."

Sophomore Mark Rohi placed fifth in both shorter freestyles, taking the 50 in 23.1 and 100 in 52.5. Freshman Rusty Myers swam fifth in 1,000 freestyle, 10:33.8. Steve Rogers took fourth in 200 individual medley, 2:10.1, and Nelles was fifth, 2:13.1.

Nelles, Mark Rusche, Jon Newcomer and Rohi were fifth for Vistor in medley relay.

Additional weekend meets saw Rolling Meadows finish third at the Aurora Invitational. Maine West stopped Prospect in non-conference action but Buffalo Grove lost to Libertyville. Results follow.

MUSTANGS 3rd AT AURORA

Ken Stahnke, Tom Stahnke, Dan Mate and Gary Grunwald set a 1:49.44 meet record in the 200 medley relay as Rolling Meadows took third among 12 teams at Aurora.

Tom Stahnke was runner-up in 200 individual medley, 2:18.24 which set a school record, plus 100 butterfly, 59.04. Ken Stahnke placed third in 100 breaststroke, 1:10.7.

Grunwald, 23.91, and Rick Sievert, 24.18, swam one-two in 50 freestyle. They were third and seventh in 100 free. Grunwald swam 53.28 and Sievert 55.3. Glenn

Adams set a school record with 5:39.0 for 500 freestyle.

Rolling Meadows led throughout the meet but slipped behind near the end. Bremen won with 177 points, Dekalb scored 175 and the Mustangs 145.

"We didn't have enough in the last relay," said Meadows' coach Phil Pardun, "but we did pick up a trophy and the kids are in good spirits. We swam some of our best times."

Sievert, Adams, Jim Rowland and Joe Kafka swam the meet ending 400 freestyle relay for Meadows. They were ninth in 3:52.9.

Maize West 85, Prospect 77

Perhaps frustrated by their 85-point loss one night earlier at Maize West, the Warriors claimed important 400 freestyle relay points to defeat Prospect, 85-77.

Maine led, 83-75, entering the final relay. Prospect needed a one-two sweep for 12 points but it was the Warriors who got that much needed dozen. Tom Ptach, Jim Ritzema, Dave Gafnick and Casey Schlachter won in 3:45 for eight team points.

The Warriors also took victories by Ptach in 200 freestyle, 1:35.00; Gafnick in 50 freestyle, 24.23; George Erickson in 100 butterfly, 1:01.21; and Ritzema in 500 freestyle, 5:35.72.

Gafnick edged Prospect's Chris Prinslow by less than two-tenths in 50 freestyle and Erickson beat Prospect's Don Balas by three-tenths in 100 butterfly.

Prinslow, Balas, Brad Busse and Gary Eichhorst won 200 medley relay in 1:48.35. Busse took wins in 200 individual medley, 2:15.2, and 100 breaststroke, a school record 1:08.19.

Eichhorst won 100 freestyle, 52.69; Prinslow took 100 backstrokes, 1:00.4; and diver John Krieschow won with 168 points.

Libertyville 85, Bismarck 77

Mike Yasky won twice and swam on the victorious 200 medley relay but Buffalo Grove couldn't keep pace with Libertyville. Yasky won 200 IM, 2:19.4, and 100 backstroke, 1:02.2.

The winning relay unit, 1:53.6, was comprised of Yasky, Dan Spaulding, Mike Foley and Ron Lanier. Foley set a

Maine West's wrestlers

5-0 after topping East

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(138) Dan Cavasos (145), Ralph Rolape (167) and Dave Dzilgwa (165).

DEERFIELD SNEAKS PAST DEMONS

Deerfield's heavyweight came from behind in the final seconds to pick up the win and send Maine East down to a painful 27-22 defeat on the Warrior mats Friday.

The guests had rallied a short time earlier on Mike Semmerling's pin at 135

to pull from a 22-10 deficit to within a couple of points, 24-22. And they were ahead on scoring in the finale until Deerfield's heavyweight countered with 13 seconds to go for an 8-8 decision.

Other Blue Demon point getters were

Mike Styne (98), Kurt Schmidt (112) and Mike Carlins (138) via decisions and Ed Dembski after tying with Dave Gelz at 167.

WEST WALLETS EAST

Coming up with too little, too late, Maine East succumbed for a second time over the weekend, at the hands of visiting Maine West 31-15.

With three bouts remaining on the card, the home team still hadn't reached the board but Ed Dembski, Claud Grant and Jeff Livingston all won impressively to salvage some squad respectability.

The meet had started off with nine straight Warrior wins, including shutouts

by Rob Krusinski, Brian Real and Mike Tramel, and Louis DePasquale's second stick in as many days. The verdict hiked West's overall record to 5-0.

Erik Grove 27, Fremd 18

68 Pounds — Lancaster (EG) pinned Henry at 4:30

103 — Piscitelli (EG) beat Simeon, 4:3

112 — Morales (Fremd) pinned Whittle, 9:4

119 — Hamm (EG) beat McCarthy, 4:3

126 — Hamstra (Fremd) beat Warren, 15-2

132 — Gafford (EG) beat Chilcott, 7:1

137 — Rohrbach (Fremd) beat Lynch, 14-2

143 — St. John (EG) beat Simeon, 4:4

145 — Pollard (Fremd) pinned Cram at 2:33

167 — Montemayor (EG) beat Stevenson, 6-1

185 — Genuo (EG) beat Adachek, 7-5

Heavyweight — Ostler (Fremd) beat Antonik, 4-2

Arlington 35, Rolling Meadows 12

98 Pounds — Scott (Art) beat Mattix, 13-0

105 — Weber (Art) beat Gatschke, 11-1

112 — J. Carlstrom (RM) beat Bade, 7-2

119 — J. Carlstrom (RM) beat Gafand, 2-1

126 — R. Carlstrom (RM) beat Reisinger, 7-4

127 — D. Kellie (Art) beat Stetson, 12-1

138 — D. Kellie (Art) beat Martin, 5-1

143 — Johnson (RM) beat Shaughnessy, 10-2

153 — Darmofal (Art) beat Tyk, 8-1

167 — Weisz (Art) pinned Harrington at 0:36

185 — Stanczak (Art) pinned Whifford at 1:32

Heavyweight — K. Kennedy (Art) beat Newick, 6-0

Wheaton 33, Glenview 9

98 Pounds — Del Principe (Hers) beat Lowe, 7-2

105 — King (FV) beat Jim Watters, 11-2

112 — Gross (FV) beat Sorenson, 7-4

119 — Smith (FV) beat Carlson, 6-1

126 — Lococo (Hers) beat Somar, 6-3

132 — Hart (Hers) beat Callendo, 16-3

138 — Hart (Hers) beat Johnson, 6-1

145 — Furtach (Hers) beat Anderson, 8-3

153 — Jack Watters (Hers) beat Stevenson, 8-2

THE GIRLS

Franklin Folger



"I'm so glad you asked me what I'd like for Christmas—for week I've been dying to get it out of the closet and show you."

THE LITTLE WOMAN



"Oh, nothing much, Mabel... Just watching a little TV until it's time to wake up Herbert and go to bed."

the fun page

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"Hey, Mom! Guess what I got on a trade with Jimmy Parsons for my tricycle?"

SIDE GLANCES



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By Roger Bollen

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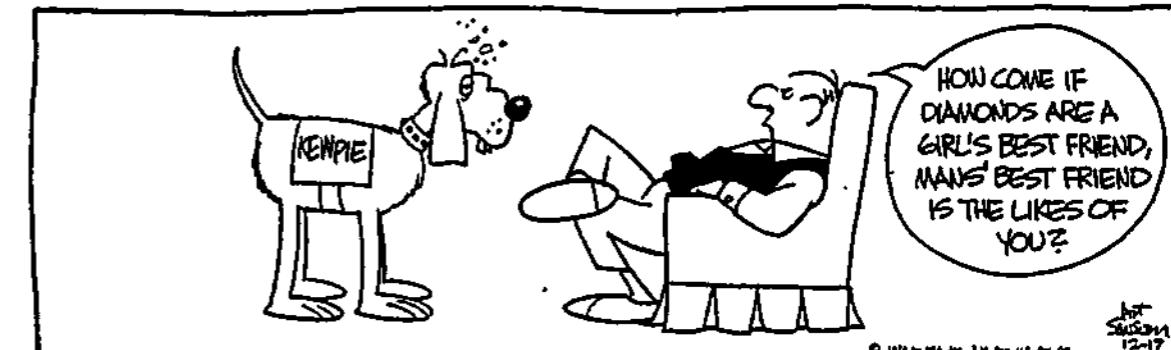
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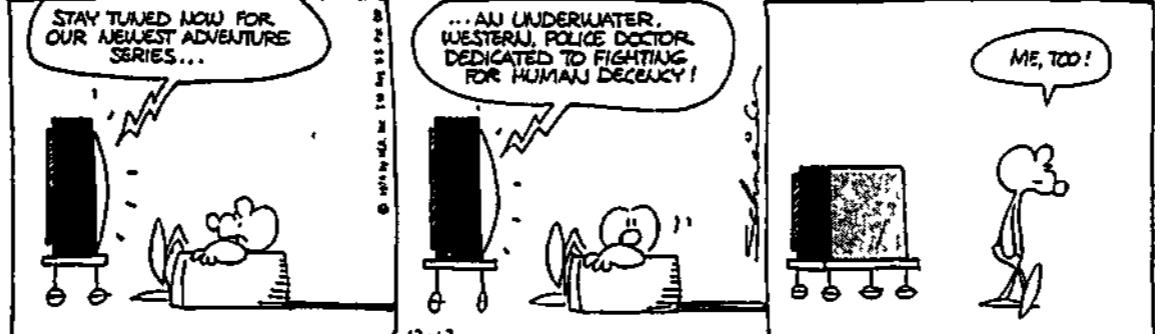
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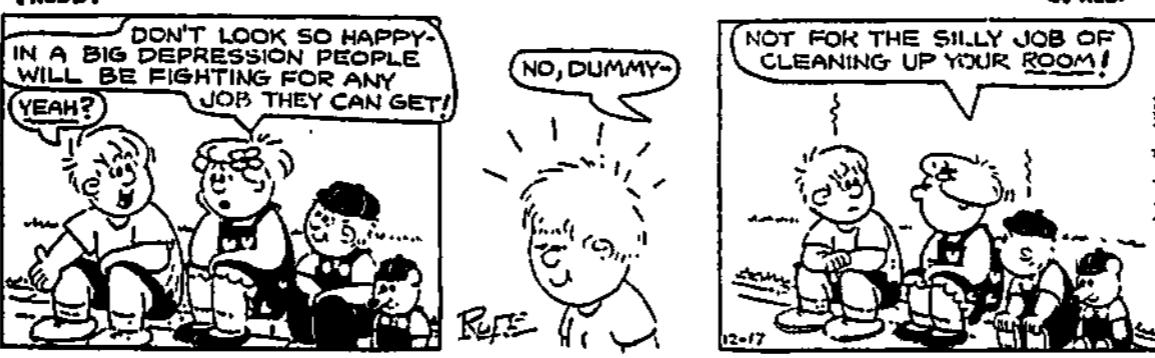
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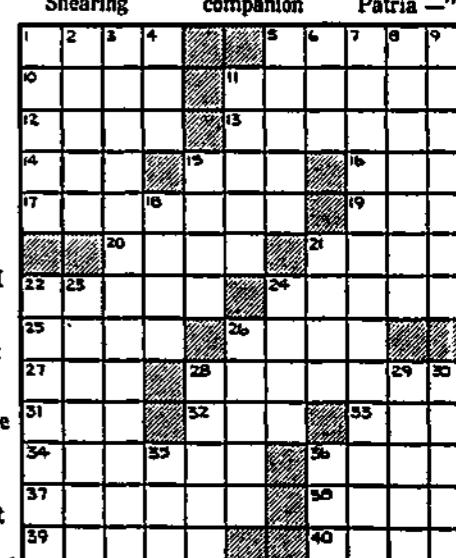


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CBS 'Magazine' beats the soap operas

Television in review

by Frank S. Swertlow



NEW YORK — If you are thinking of doing the laundry Tuesday afternoon, don't. Watch CBS's "Magazine" show at 1:30 p.m. It will provide you with a candid glimpse of mental illness, menopause and sex after 60.

But if you must do the wash, wait until 8:30 p.m. when CBS offers the next mini-series, on Ben Franklin, "The Whirlwind." This 90-minute embarrassment is a good time to mix soap powder and bleach.

On "Magazine," Mrs. Pierre Trudeau, the 26-year-old wife of the Canadian prime minister, discusses the strains and pressures of being the first lady of Canada. It is a rare and candid glimpse of a political figure admitting the need for psychiatric care.

Mrs. Trudeau sought psychiatric help last summer while she was campaigning for her husband's reelection. She was interviewed by Carole Taylor for Canada's CTV television network. CBS secured the exclusive U.S. television rights.

OTHER SEGMENTS of "Magazine" include a look at menopause, "Menopause Is Not a Dirty Word," and another glimpse of sex and the elderly, "Sex After Sixty Revisited."

The section on menopause — the change of life — provides nothing new and startling about this subject, but the candid discussions of this process by three women may enlighten many viewers. It may even give them a clue to what is ailing them.

"Sex After Sixty Revisited" is a follow-up of "Magazine's" original study of sex and the elderly. This time, CBS shows

the reaction of four groups of people who were filmed watching the first piece. The responses are fascinating.

LATER IN THE day, CBS presents "The Whirlwind," the second mini-saga about Ben Franklin. The first of the four-part series was "The Ambassadors," which presented Franklin as the wily representative of the infant United States in the decadent court of Louis XVI. There was an air of intrigue and fun about Franklin as he successfully gained the support of the French for the American Revolution.

Now, we have a tale about Franklin's early years as seen through the flashbacks of the aging Franklin. Lloyd Bridges plays the elder Franklin; Beau Bridges portrays the younger Franklin. There is so much jumping from past to present that you have the feeling of being on a historical pogo stick.

Alas, the only good thing about this show is that it kept two members of the Bridges family off the street. They should be hopping all the way to the bank.

Otherwise, "The Whirlwind," is a cartoon that begins to rot after the first few minutes on the air. The only quiver of life during the show is exhibited from Sheree North, who plays Mrs. Franklin in her declining years.

NOTES: Universal TV will produce a 12-hour film drama of Irwin Shaw's "Rich Man, Poor Man" for the 1975-76 ABC video season. . . . NBC will star Efrem Zimbalist Jr. and Lucie Arnaz in "The Black Dahlia," based on the unsolved Los Angeles murder of almost 30 years ago. . . . James Coco and Desi Arnaz Jr. will guest star in an episode of "Medical Center" . . .

Orson Welles was unanimously selected as this year's Life Achievement Award winner of the American Film Institute, following John Ford and James Cagney. . . . David Niven will narrate the television special "The Remarkable Rocket" . . . Richard Burton and Robert Mitchum will star in "Jackpot" for Paramount. . . . (United Press International)

Today's best . . .

"A Charlie Brown Christmas." The Peanuts gang of Schroeder, Lucy, Snoopy, Linus and, of course, Charlie Brown get together in an animated cartoon about the holiday season. 7 p.m.

"Perry Como Christmas Show." Singer Perry Como and friends gather for an hour of seasonal melodies and merriment. 7:30 p.m. Channel 2.

Tuesday Movie of the Week. "Roll, Freddy, Roll," starring Tim Conway and Jan Murray. A conservative computer programmer lives on roller skates for seven days to win a place in the Guinness Book of World Records and to compete for attention with his son's famous new stepfather. 7:30 to 9 p.m. Channel 7.

"Marcus Welby, M.D." "The Resident," Doctors Welby and Kiley determine that turn about is fair play when they hospitalize a brilliant but uncaring doctor. 9 p.m. Channel 7.

Soundstage. "Arlo's Gang." Arlo Guthrie, of "Alice's Restaurant" fame joins in with his friends Steve Goodman and Hoyt Axton for an hour of songs. 9 p.m. Channel 11.

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Other local post office spokesmen said this year is not much different than previous ones. Martha Webster of Palatine reported "it's just about normal and volume is running very heavy now."

In Wheeling, the volume is reported slightly higher than last year.

Post office officials no longer will guarantee that cards will be delivered before Christmas but say "we'll be working right up to the last day." Dec. 15 was the recommended deadline for mailing this season and officials say time is running out.

To speed delivery, mail should be bundled with addresses marked plainly and with zip codes, officials said.

Cloudy

TODAY: Cloudy with a chance of snow flurries; high in low 30s.

WEDNESDAY: Partly sunny; high in mid-30s.

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Bill Rogers may be WHIP trustee choice

by JOE FRANZ

William (Bill) Rogers, chairman of the Wheeling Environmental Commission, may be slated by the Wheeling Improvement Party (WHIP) as a village trustee candidate in next April's election, it was learned Monday.

Rogers, who supported the incumbent To Overall Progress Party (TOP), in the last election, confirmed Monday that he is being considered by WHIP. He said he has been asked by certain WHIP members to run and would accept the nomination "with conditions."

"There are some things that would have to be settled before I would accept the WHIP nomination," he said. "As of right now they (WHIP) still have not responded and I'm not sure where they stand."

Rogers refused to divulge the conditions under which he would accept the WHIP nomination. "I'd rather give WHIP a chance to consider my requests and work something out before I say anything," he said.

ROGERS IS ONE of eight persons chosen by the WHIP nominating committee from a field of about 20 candidates. The general membership of WHIP will decide Wednesday night which candidates will be slated for the four village board seats which will expire in April.

Rogers currently is not a member of WHIP, but said he would join the party before accepting the nomination. Besides WHIP, he said, several persons have contacted him about being a candidate in the next election.

"I am not a member of any party at the present time," he said. "No one has stated what their party is about and nobody has proposed any programs, so I don't know which way I'll go."

"The decision for me to run is one I've been thinking about for a long time," Rogers said. "I'm interested primarily in the operation of good and aggressive government and will make a decision based on that."

ROGERS WAS NOT a member of TOP

Whip to choose 4 candidates

The Wheeling Improvement Party will choose four candidates Wednesday night to run for the village board in next April's municipal election.

The general membership of WHIP will choose the candidates from eight persons who have been recommended by the nominating committee.

The meeting is at London Junior High School, 1001 W. Dundee Rd., starting at 8 p.m.

Before the balloting, the eight candidates will make brief presentations and answer questions from the audience.

in the last election, but said he supported its candidates for election to the village board. "I thought the TOP candidates were better in the last election," he said.

Village Pres. Ted C. Scanlon, Village Clerk Evelyn Diens and trustees William

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J. W. Gallagher withdraws from trustee race

James W. Gallagher, a member of the Wheeling Improvement Party (WHIP), said Monday night he has decided not to seek a seat on the village board in the April election.

Gallagher, the first person to announce his candidacy for the village board, thus becomes the first to withdraw from the race. The announcement was made by Gallagher after he learned he was not among the eight persons recommended by the WHIP nominating committee.

At the time he announced his candidacy, Gallagher said he would consider running as an independent if he were turned down by WHIP. He said Monday night, however, he has decided to bow out of the race.

"I have decided not to continue seeking a position on the Wheeling Village Board in the April 1975 election," he said. "I will, however, work hard to help elect the entire WHIP slate. I feel WHIP offers the best chance to the village."

GALLAGHER, 21, of 1319 Exeter Ct., said he entered the race originally because "politics in Wheeling has not been a clean thing" and he would like to see

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Now THAT's a Christmas tree!



LOOKING LIKE TWO of Santa's elves, Skip Kenney, on the ladder, and Warren Gamble string hundreds of lights on a 50-foot evergreen in front of the Robert Weisz residence.

515 Rockwell St., Arlington Heights. Although many Northwest suburban home-owners are decorating outdoor trees now that

the energy crisis seems less a threat, this tree is attracting spectators by the carloads, Mrs. Weisz said.

Democrats' House speaker hopefuls combine forces

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Agency to rule on plans for hospital branch

A hospital-planning agency is expected to make a decision this week on plans for a proposed satellite of the Franklin Boulevard Community Hospital to serve the Wheeling-Buffalo Grove area.

Norman Davis, a Franklin Boulevard consultant, said Monday that if the decision by the agency, the Comprehensive Health Planning, is favorable, construction will begin soon.

The planning agency has not yet made a decision on the hospital branch, although its officials said last month it probably would come in early December. Officials from Comprehensive Health Planning were unavailable for comment Monday.

THE HOSPITAL needs the approval of the agency as a prerequisite to receive Blue Cross-Blue Shield coverage. Without the coverage, officials said the hospital would face a severe financial hardship.

In addition, Davis said, the hospital would have problems obtaining financing without Blue Cross contract. He said unless the hospital has a Blue Cross contract, lending agencies are reluctant to commit support.

Approval by Comprehensive Health Planning is uncertain because of a recent report that said there is no need for additional hospital beds in Cook County.

Franklin Boulevard, located in Chicago, received state approval before Oct. 1, thereby avoiding the newly-enacted certificate-of-need law which requires backers to prove the need for proposed hospital facilities.

BLUE CROSS-Blue Shield, however, requires that hospital plans be approved

by Comprehensive Health Planning before entering into a contract.

Davis said the long delay in reviewing the hospital plans could increase the cost of the \$11.3 million facility by as much as \$2 million.

"I can't help but think that with the way we've been held up there will be any way to avoid renegotiating the contract and paying an escalated cost," he said. "But at this point, I'll just be glad to get approval of our plans."

The 228-bed facility has been proposed for the east side of Schoenbeck Road, south of Wheeling's corporate limits. Hospital officials said they will seek annexation to Wheeling.



NEITHER RAIN, NOR SNOW nor . . . will keep the golfer off the course if he is a true duffer. Despite Monday's below freezing temperatures, 20-m.p.h.

winds and occasional snow, Charles Hausman found time to get in a round with some friends at the Buffalo Grove Golf Club. The course is one of few open to golfers during the winter season. Those chipping away Monday said it was a "good day" compared with those to come.

Public hearing Thursday

Des Plaines is lone objector to MSD project

by LYNN ASINOF

Des Plaines apparently will continue to stand alone in its objections to a sewage treatment plant for the city's west side and the deep-tunnel system that will be

used to connect the plant to the rest of the Northwest suburban area.

Of the seven communities affected by the plant and tunnel project, only Des Plaines plans to object at a hearing on

the project scheduled Thursday by the Metropolitan Sanitary District. Elk Grove Village will testify in favor of the project and five of the six other suburbs will send representatives only for informational purposes, officials said.

The two towns most affected by the proposed project are Des Plaines and Mount Prospect. Most of the tunnels that will carry sewage to the treatment plant will be built about 160 feet below Mount Prospect streets and parkways. The plant will be located at the southeast corner of Oskon Street and Elmhurst Road in Des Plaines.

THE PROJECT IS designed so that the combined sewage from seven Northwest suburbs will travel to the treatment center through the tunnel system. Thus most of the towns will get improved sewage treatment services while having to bear little of the brunt of construction.

The suburbs to be served by the project include Mount Prospect, Des Plaines, Arlington Heights, Rolling Meadows, Elk Grove Village, Wheeling and Buffalo Grove.

Village Mgr. Robert J. Eppley of Mount Prospect said that village basically supports the project, but said additional information is needed about construction of the tunnels. Seven of eight vertical drop shafts will be located in Mount Prospect. The shafts, which will carry sewage to the deep tunnels, will be blasted out of rock.

Eppley said he wants information on how the sanitary district plans to handle any complaints of damage which may result from the construction and blasting. He said he also wants to make sure that the construction sites will be protected so that youngsters will not be able to get into the area.

DAVID CREAMER, Mount Prospect director of public works, said he also plans to question the possibility that the deep tunnel project will reduce the pro-

ductivity of two shallow wells.

Des Plaines officials are basically concerned with the sewage treatment plant, which will be built above ground. While the sanitary district contends that no odors will be produced by the plant, Des Plaines officials in part are basing their objections on grounds that the plant will produce odors which may affect nearby residences.

Wheeling is the only one of the seven communities that will not send a representative to the meeting, since it has no objections to the project.

The hearing is specifically geared for discussion of an environmental impact

statement on the plant and sewers as required by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency.

Verbal comments on the design of the plant and sewers will be limited to 15 minutes per person, but written comments will be allowed. Copies of the environmental impact statement have been on display at local libraries for about a month.

The meeting will begin at 7:30 p.m. Thursday at the Mount Prospect Community Center, 600 S. See-Gwin Ave., and will be continued Friday if there is not enough time for all interested parties to be heard Thursday.

Ring OK'd as principal of Elk Grove High School

The High School Dist. 214 Board of Education Monday night named Donald G. Ring principal of Elk Grove High School.

Ring, district coordinator of science and mathematics, succeeds Robert Haskell, who died Nov. 3 of a heart attack. Haskell had been principal of the Elk Grove Village school since 1967.

Ring assumes his duties at the high school beginning Jan. 1, at an annual salary of \$28,500. A graduate of Northern Illinois University, DeKalb, he received a master's degree in physics from the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor. He earned a Ph.D. in science education from Cornell University and has a minor in educational administration.

Ring joined the district in 1958 as a

science teacher. He also has served as an administrative assistant and division chairman. An assistant professor of secondary education at the University of Illinois, Ring was a science education consultant for the Measurement Research Center in 1970.

He was previously a staff member of Cornell University and was an instructor for the National College of Education, Evanston.

Ring was chosen from a field of six candidates. The Herald earlier reported that Stephen Berry, assistant principal for instructional services at Wheeling High School, was a candidate for the job.

Berry did not apply for the post, however, said Robert Cudney, district director of instructional staffing.

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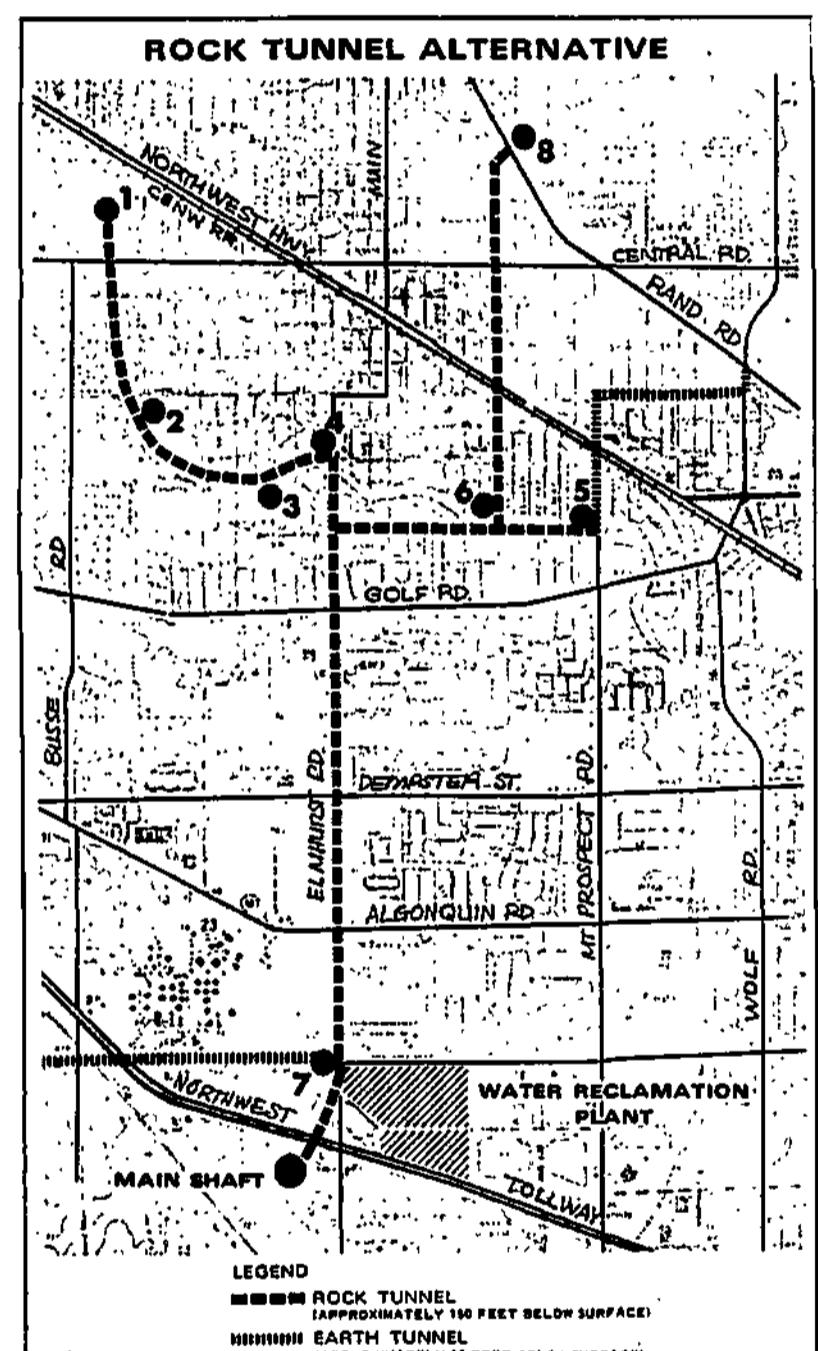
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Retention basin expected to be ready by spring

by JOHN MAES

A \$500,000 reservoir project expected to help solve flooding problems in Buffalo Grove will be completed and in operation by spring, officials said Monday.

The project, a five-acre retention basin being built at the Arlington Country Club, is intended to provide flood relief to residents and businesses along Dundee Road and in the White Pine Ditch area.

Arnold Seaberg, Buffalo Grove village engineer, Monday said excavation of the pond is about "90 per cent" complete and said the pond would be "functional" now in retaining flood water if heavy rains hit.

Some work remains however on an earthen dam and a series of bridges under construction over the lake and its outlet channels.

Early next spring, contractors will sod the area and resod black dirt before work is complete, Seaberg said.

BUFFALO GROVE, the State of Illinois and the Metropolitan Sanitary District are sharing costs while the country club is supplying the land as part of an agreement among the four groups.

The basin is designed to check flooding

by holding storm water until flood threats pass. The water will then be released into Buffalo Creek, east of the golf course.

The pond, with a 16-million gallon capacity, will prevent the overflow of nearby streams by retaining flood water.

The village is contributing \$80,000 to the project to cover engineering, bridge installation and utility expenses. The sanitary district and the state are paying most of the construction cost.

The pact calls for completion by April 1, 1975, to avoid interfering with the golf season.

THE PROJECT was delayed for an extended period earlier this year and in 1973 when financing difficulties were encountered by the village and the sanitary district.

Buffalo Grove Village Mgr. Daniel Larson Monday said he is confident the project will be ready to meet "major rainstorms" next spring.

Officials in the Lake County Forest Preserve District also said they hope to obtain land for another project geared to check flooding problems in Buffalo Grove.

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Behrel casts key vote on U.S. funds

Des Plaines Mayor Herbert H. Behrel had to cast two tie-breaking votes Monday night to move the city ahead in seeking funds under the U. S. Housing and Community Development Act.

The city council split 7-7 on the issue of forming a seven-member task force to assist city officials in preparing an application for the program, which could bring the city \$2.5 million over the next six years.

Behrel also broke a tie vote on a resolution enabling Michael Richardson, city director of planning and zoning, to spend up to \$13,500 to prepare the application.

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THE ALDERMEN also beat back an effort by Ald. Alan Abrams (8th) to increase the size of the task force from seven to nine members by a 9-5 vote. Two members of the council, Ald. Robert Hinde (4th) and Ald. Irene Birchfield (5th), were absent for the vote. Both had voted in favor of a motion two weeks ago

to seek the federal funds.

The federal program requires the city to prepare a housing assistance plan outlining problems and proposing solutions regarding housing for low- and moderate-income families. The funds can be used for public improvements to prevent blight or benefit low- and moderate-income families but cannot be used to build any housing units.

In a resolution creating the task force, the council indicated the application must be completed and given to the aldermen by Feb. 12. The application must be submitted to the U. S. Dept. of Housing and Urban Development by April 1, but also has to be reviewed by the Northeastern Illinois Plan Commission before being turned over to federal officials.

A number of aldermen voiced concern

about involvement in the program, arguing the city may be losing control over the question of housing for low- and moderate-income families.

ALD. CARMEN SARLO, 6th, also questioned whether the city could withdraw from the program even if it accepts 10 per cent of the \$139,000 available in the first year for preparation of the application.

City Atty. Charles Hug said that according to an opinion issued by HUD's general counsel, the city could pull out of the program without penalty.

The council thus far has only voted to seek the 10 per cent of \$139,000 to assist it in preparing the grant application. It will have to decide early next year to approve the application before the remaining money can be obtained.

There also are plans to hold several public hearings to review the application before any final action is taken.

Abrams attempted to expand the task force to include a member of the Mount Prospect Park District Board, which serves the western part of Des Plaines, and add a second member from the city's housing commission.

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Bardwell was Dist. 59 superintendent from 1960 to 1966. He left to become superintendent of schools in Ilion, N. Y. He has since worked for Harper and Row Publishers and is a teacher at the National College of Education, Evanston.

Bardwell has advocated a decentralized administrative setup for school districts, in contrast to Ervitt's practice of tight control that alienated some principals and teachers.

Bardwell told the board he was thankful for the opportunity to serve as superintendent. "It's good to be back," he told a reporter after the board meeting.

Schools president resigns post to allow 'continuity'

Robert Claus resigned Monday night as president of the Maine Township High School Dist. 207 Board of Education.

Claus, elected as board president in 1973, said he will complete his term as a board member. Leonard Grazian, a member of the board since 1971, was unanimously elected to succeed Claus as president.

Claus announced last week he would not run for reelection when his board term expires in April. He said he resigned as board president to give Grazian "a little more time to serve in the position."

"I FEEL IT'S GOOD to have continuity through the period of negotiations with teachers. Rather than changing



Leonard Grazian

Schools to discuss lunch, overcrowding

The East Maine Dist. 63 Board of Education will discuss the elementary lunch program and the overcrowding of several district schools at its meeting tonight.

The meeting will begin at 6 p.m. at Ballard School, 8220 Ballard Rd., Niles, with action on routine items. Discussion of the lunch program and possible boundary changes will begin at 7:30 p.m.

Grazian, 50, of 9504 Oliphant, Morton Grove, practices law in Chicago. He attended the Illinois Institute of Technology and John Marshall Law School and has a degree in chemical engineering and a juris doctorate degree.

He was an unsuccessful candidate for Circuit Court judge in the November election.

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Walgreen Co. denies parks offer to buy section of land

by LUISA GINNETTI

The Des Plaines Park District's bid to buy a section of the 26-acre Walgreen Co. property, 1400 E. Touhy Ave., has been turned down.

Robert Kunkel, park district director, said he flatly was turned down by Walgreen's officials when he asked if the company would sell part of the land to the park district. Kunkel said the park district was interested in purchasing five to 10 acres of the property to use as a buffer zone park between the rest of the property and Lake Opeka Park, which is next to the land at Lee and Howard streets.

Robert Pease of the Walgreen Co., said Monday the company turned down the park district request because it is not interested in splitting up the land.

"For the present we want to sell it in one piece and that's the reason we said no to the park district," Pease said. He said the \$4.5 million asking price for the property will not go down.

PEASE SAID THE company still is talking to several potential buyers but he added, "The key to it right now is that we are still the owners." Pease said although the asking price seems to be the barrier to an immediate sale of the land which has been on the market since September, it will not go down and could go up. "With things the way they are today you never know," Pease said.

Pease said he did not believe the park district needed a buffer from the land. "Whatever goes up will probably be some type of office structure and I don't think it would hurt the park," he said.

The Walgreen property was put up for sale when the company abandoned plans to build its national office headquarters in Des Plaines. Company officials said a new building in Des Plaines could not be constructed for several years so instead Walgreen's purchased the former Baxter Laboratories building in Deerfield for its headquarters.

Walgreen paid \$2.9 million for the Des Plaines land in 1970. The property is the former site of St. Patrick's Academy.

Kunkel inquired about the possibility of purchasing a piece of the land at the direction of the park district board.

The board also is investigating the possibility of purchasing other privately-owned large parcels in the city including a site at Miner Street and River Road owned by Robert Dooley.

Mount Prospect park district may be information center

by LYNN ASINOF

The Mount Prospect Park District eventually may become a recreational resource center, providing residents with information on activities ranging from weekend outings to athletic competitions.

Thomas T. Taylor, the district's new assistant director, said he thinks information is the key to helping residents fill increasing amounts of free time. Noting that unemployment is rising and the number of senior citizens is increasing, Taylor said more and more people have extra time on their hands.

While the park district is not specifically geared to handle these problems, Taylor said he thinks the district must make people aware of ways to fill their free time by developing other interests.

TAYLER SAID one program that might be developed would use phone answering service to provide residents with a list of current activities. He said the list would not be limited to local events, but would include programs with a variety of locations, costs and involvement.

Since information is a key to getting people involved, Taylor said the park district is currently contacting the local



Thomas Taylor

apartment complexes to make residents aware of programs that already exist. "It's awareness," he said. "There are just so many people who don't know what we are."

Eventually, the park district may begin helping residents of the apartment projects develop their own recreational programs.

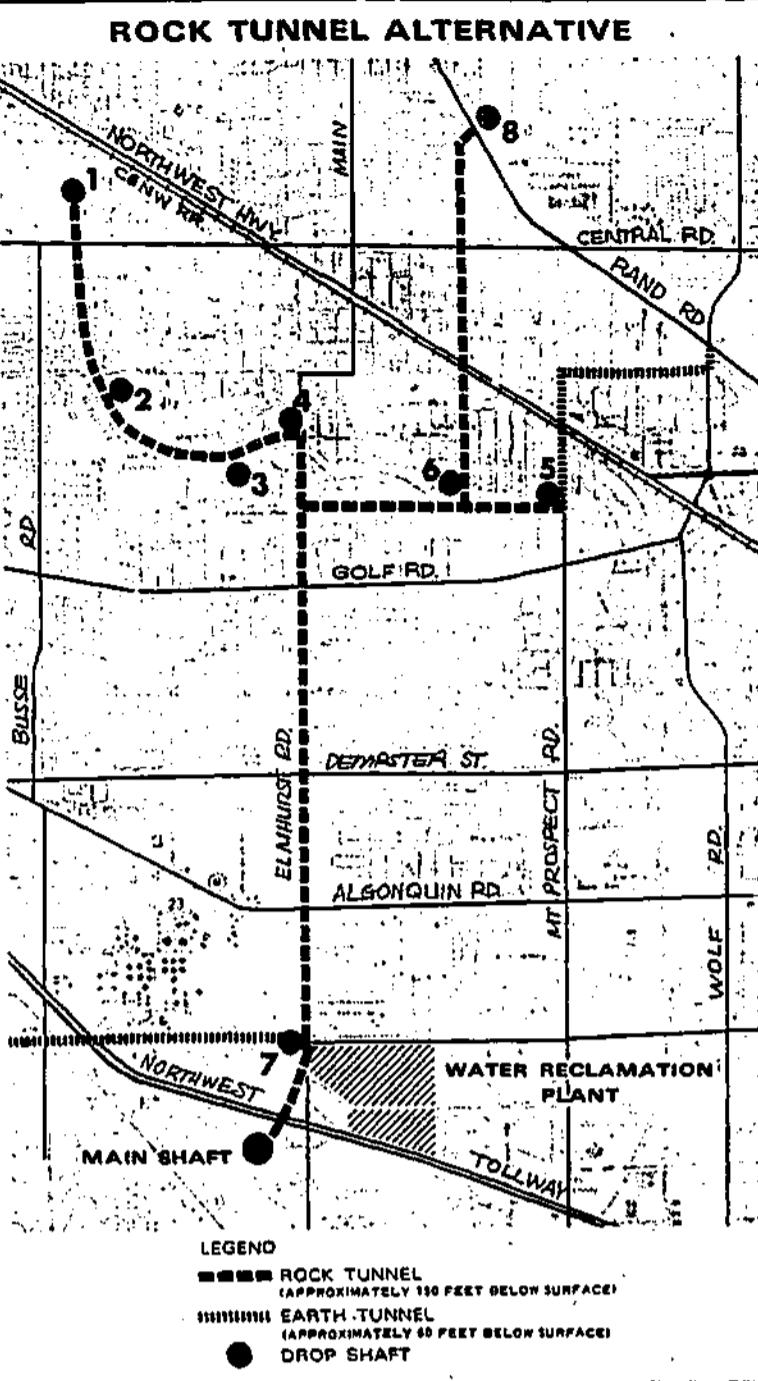
Taylor said he thinks the future will be an increasing demand for recreational opportunities. He said people are becoming less "work oriented" and more interested in finding outside interests.

THIS, IN TURN, means people must be educated on how to fill their time, Taylor said. The Mount Prospect Park District is working in this area by developing cooperative programs with Friendship and Dempster Junior high schools.

"This will help to educate those kids now," Taylor said, noting that programs at these schools are seen as an extension of school activities. He said that when these children grow up, they will have less difficulty adjusting to increased free time and eventually retirement.

Taylor said the park district also must be prepared for shifts caused by poor economic conditions. He said more and more people will begin looking for ways to fill their time more cheaply. This in turn may lead the park district to provide an increasing number of inexpensive programs.

Noting that the people who will need the park district programs will be the ones who can least afford to pay for them, Taylor said the park district will have to strike a delicate balance. He said one of the future challenges will be developing interesting programs while still keeping the district operating on a sound financial basis.



\$400,000 bond sale may get parks' OK tonight

The Des Plaines Park District Board is expected tonight to approve the sale of \$400,000 in general-obligation bonds.

The money from the sale of the bonds will be used for general park improvements including the installation of 10 new tennis courts in the park district, lighting for the No. 2 ball diamond at Rand Park, swimming pool lighting and lighting at various other parks in the district.

The district will pay for the bonds through a .5 per cent tax, which it is

allowed by law to levy without referendum.

Park commissioners also will discuss the proposed establishment of a task force to prepare the city's application for funds under the U.S. Housing and Community Development Act.

Robert Kunkel, park director, has been asked to serve on the task force and also has been asked if he would be willing to serve as the group's chairman.

The decision on the task force's composition will be made by the city council. Kunkel said Monday he would be willing to work as a member of the group and would accept the chairmanship if it is offered to him by the council.

The park board also will present two awards to the Des Plaines Junior Woman's Club from the Illinois Park and Recreation Society and the Illinois Assn. of Park Districts. The awards are for the club's work in helping to create an outdoor education area at Lake Park.

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The hearing is specifically geared for discussion of an environmental impact statement on the plant and sewers as required by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency.

Verbal comments on the design of the plant and sewers will be limited to 15 minutes per person, but written comments will be allowed. Copies of the environmental impact statement have been on display at local libraries for about a month.

The meeting will begin at 7:30 p.m. Thursday at the Mount Prospect Community Center, 600 S. See-Gwin Ave., and will be continued Friday if there is not enough time for all interested parties to be heard Thursday.

3 suffer minor injuries in crash

An accident at Touhy Avenue and Higgins Road left three persons slightly injured Sunday.

The accident occurred when a car, driven by Rhonda L. Tovella, 18, of 809 Richard Ln., Elk Grove Village, heading east on Touhy Avenue, approached the Higgins Road intersection and was struck by an auto entering the intersection against a red light.

The second car was driven by Ann S. Anton, 21, of 2334 N. Harlem Ave., Elmwood Park. She was cited for running a red light and is scheduled to appear in the Des Plaines branch of Circuit Court Jan. 13.

Both drivers and a passenger in the Anton car, Grace Kouimelis, 16, of 7036 Diversey Ave., Chicago, were treated and released from Holy Family Hospital.

Arizona subject of film

"Arizona Utopia," a film showing the state's 17 national parks and monuments and the history of Indian tribes, will be shown today at 8 p.m. at Niles North High School, Skokie.

The film is the third in a series sponsored by MONACEP, the Maine-Oakton-Niles Adult and Continuing Education Program. It will be presented by lecturer and cinematographer Robert Davis.

Admission is \$1.50, 75 cents for senior citizens.

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The kit includes the pocket-sized camera, film, magicube and extender, wrist strap and instruction manual.

For further information stop by the bank, 733 Lee St., or call 827-4411.

Winter parks program signup begins today

Registration for winter programs at the Mount Prospect Park District will begin at 9 a.m. today at Lions Park Recreation Center, 411 S. Maple St.

Doors will open at 8 a.m. with registration on a first-come, first-serve basis. Fees for the classes must be paid at registration.

Starting Wednesday registration will continue during regular park office hours. The office is open from 9 a.m. to noon and from 1-8 p.m. weekdays and from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday.

2 Bar Mitzvahs Saturday

Two Bar Mitzvah services will be observed Saturday at Maine Township Jewish Congregation, 3800 Ballard Rd., Des Plaines. Mark Zeldin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Zeldin, 9029 Emerson, Des Plaines, will participate in the morning service at 9:30 a.m.; Craig Stone, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Stone, 9404 Overhill, Morton Grove, will share the pulpit at the 4 p.m. service. Rabbi Jay Karzen and Cantor Harry Solowinich will officiate at both services.

Sabbath eve services Friday will be recited at 4 p.m., and a family service at 8:30 p.m.

Breakfast with the Rabbi will be held Sunday at 9:45 a.m., following the 9 a.m. Tallit-Teffillin service. Reservations can be made by calling the Synagogue office, 297-2006.

Special super bingo is scheduled for this Sunday, game time at 7:30 p.m. The community is invited.

Thieves take TV set from home here

Burglars stole a \$350 portable color television set from the home of Joseph A. Michell, 57, of 1851 Stockton Ave., early Monday.

Police said Michell noticed the back door of his house open when he returned home from work. Police said the door was opened by breaking the lock.

2 teens hurt as car strikes their bike

Two boys were injured late Sunday when the bicycle they were riding was hit by a car on River Road near Campbell Street in Des Plaines.

Richard N. Stephansen, 16, of 1407 River Rd., and Jeff Elser, 13, of 1788 Algonquin Rd., were treated and released from Lutheran General Hospital.

Police said the boys were riding south on River Road on Stephansen's 5-speed racer with Elser on the handle bars when a car driven by Mary L. Wendt, 32, of 976 Blossom, Wheeling, struck the bike from the rear. The woman told police she did not see the boys.

The woman was charged with failure to reduce speed to avoid an accident. She is scheduled to appear Jan. 6 in the Des Plaines branch of Circuit Court.

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Post office lines are shorter this year.

Nation's Yule mail off 11%

If you feel less popular this year because the Christmas cards just aren't pouring in, blame it on the WIN buttons or a holiday season which is here before many realized it.

The U.S. Postal Service in Washington reported Monday's mail volume was down 11 per cent compared with the same day last year. And in Chicago, postal officials said volume is almost 7 per cent less this year than last between Nov. 8 and Dec. 15 — 50 million fewer pieces of mail.

"We expect the peak to come this week," said Walter Dyer, spokesman for the Chicago postal system. "But I don't think the mail will be the same volume as last year. People just seem to be doing less mailing," he said.

AS THE FLOW of mail begins to increase, some Northwest suburban post of-

fices still report substantial decreases in their load, while others say the volume is about the same as last season.

Daniel McManus, foreman of mail at the Roselle Post Office branch which serves Hoffman Estates and Schaumburg, estimates a decrease of 30 per cent. "Our mail is completely clear and all the mail is gone. People seem to be waiting to mail this year or maybe it's the economy," he said.

Special hours were set up but people just now seem to be taking advantage of them, he said.

A temporary post office at Woodfield Shopping Center in Schaumburg has been busy during the past few days "indicating things will get rolling soon. It's just beginning to pick up."

In Elk Grove, the volume of cards

"seems to be extremely light," said Charles Counihan, office manager of the post office branch. "Usually there is a four to six-hour delay on mail at this time, but this year there is no backlog whatsoever."

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Ring assumes his duties at the high school beginning Jan. 1, at an annual salary of \$28,500. A graduate of Northern Illinois University, DeKalb, he received a master's degree in physics from the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor. He earned a Ph.D. in science education from Cornell University and has a minor in educational administration.

Ring joined the district in 1958 as a science teacher. He also has served as an administrative assistant and division chairman. An assistant professor of secondary education at the University of Illinois, Ring was a science education consultant for the Measurement Research Center in 1970.

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The hearing is specifically geared for discussion of an environmental impact statement on the plant and sewers as required by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency.

Verbal comments on the design of the plant and sewers will be limited to 15 minutes per person, but written comments will be allowed. Copies of the environmental impact statement have been on display at local libraries for about a month.

The meeting will begin at 7:30 p.m. Thursday at the Mount Prospect Community Center, 600 S. See-Gwan Ave., and will be continued Friday if there is not enough time for all interested parties to be heard Thursday.

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Vocational rehabilitation and other services also will be included in the program for patients leaving hospitals to aid them in making a smooth transition with their families and communities.

Rosen has estimated about 10 per cent of patients being treated at the local center could benefit from the proposed program. It will be open only to residents of Elk Grove and Schaumburg townships.

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Santa phone open today

Santa will be taking calls at his home in the North Pole through Thursday. Elk Grove youngsters who would like to talk to him, can reach Santa at his special number, 437-1000. Santa will be taking calls from 7 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.

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The board is seeking a land donation

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An American Indian teenager in Oklahoma, Larry Earl, is getting a better chance in life, thanks to Elk Grove Village VFW Post 9284 Auxiliary.

The 130 women in the auxiliary are sponsoring the 16-year-old boy through Christian Children's Fund Inc., based in Richmond, Va. The auxiliary has been contributing to the support of needy youngsters like Larry Earl through the agency for about five years.

The local organization sends monthly donations that help provide Larry with food, clothing and school supplies.

Their efforts help make it possible for Larry to continue his schooling and receive help at the Children's Fund Cherokee Indian Project in Oklahoma.

The auxiliary conducts several fundraising activities to obtain money for Larry.

"One of our purposes for being an organization is to assist the needy," said Lillian Mayer, a member of the auxiliary. "We have dances, rummage sales, bake sales. We also send a gift from the auxiliary as well as gifts from the individual auxiliary members at Christmas."

Mrs. Mayer said she and Larry exchange letters and the auxiliary has received his photograph and information about his school and the Cherokee Indian Project.

Mrs. Mayer said she feels the auxiliary

is benefiting from their efforts to help Larry and other children like him.

"We have the feeling that we're trying to assist those less fortunate than ourselves," she said. "It is very satisfying to watch a child grow through the years and feel maybe you aided him in getting an education and making his life a little easier."

More outside borrowing

In an effort to reduce the length of time library patrons sometimes have to wait for popular fiction and nonfiction books, the Elk Grove Village library will begin borrowing more works from other libraries.

Until now, if a resident requested a book owned by the local library, the book was put on reserve for four weeks. If it was not returned within that time, the book was borrowed or "interloaned" from another library.

The library board has directed librarians to begin asking for an "interloan" on all requested books as well as putting the books on reserve.

Mary Clark, administrative librarian, said she expects the new system to cut the average wait for requested books from about a month to about two weeks.

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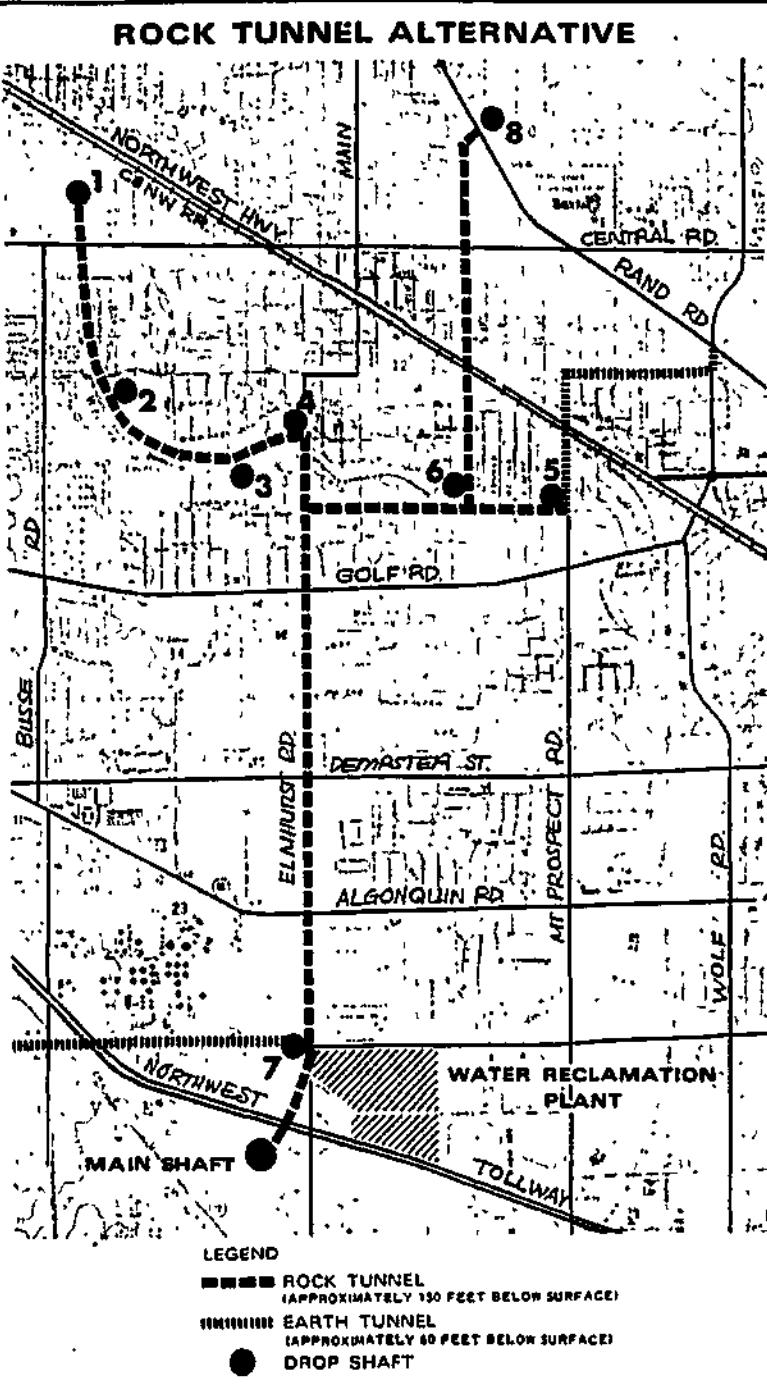
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Bardwell hired, but member Knaup resigns

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Knaup's resignation. The board intends to fill the vacancy within 30 days.

Bardwell was Dist. 59 superintendent from 1960 to 1966. He left to become superintendent of schools in Ithaca, N.Y. He has since worked for Harper and Row Publishers and is a teacher at the National College of Education, Evanston.

Bardwell has advocated a decentralized administrative setup for school districts, in contrast to Ervitt's practice of tight control that alienated some principals and teachers.

Bardwell told the board he was thankful for the opportunity to serve as superintendent. "It's good to be back," he told a reporter after the board meeting.

Gasoline fire damages garage, pickup truck

A gasoline fire at 533 Ridge Ave., Elk Grove Village, damaged a garage and pickup truck parked in the driveway.

Firemen said Rudolph Seidl, the homeowner, was attempting to fill the gas tank of his pickup truck from a gasoline can when spilled fuel ignited.

The blaze caused \$200 damage to the wooden garage-door frame and blistered paint on the truck. No injuries were reported.

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A spokesman at the Rolling Meadows post office said "it seems low this season . . . there's not as much and we're just not going as hard," he said.

Des Plaines Postmaster John Kouriles said the volume of mail at his facilities which had been down somewhat has picked up. "We were extremely busy at the window Saturday and it was jammed mostly with people sending packages. Our carriers have been going out with good-size loads," he said.

THE ACTING Arlington Heights postmaster, John Butt, said volume is

steady but added he could make no estimate whether this year's flow is lighter than in previous years.

Other local post office spokesmen said this year is not much different than previous ones. Martha Webster of Palatine reported "it's just about normal and volume is running very heavy now."

In Wheeling, the volume is reported slightly higher than last year.

Post office officials no longer will guarantee that cards will be delivered before Christmas but say "we'll be working right up to the last day." Dec. 15 was the recommended deadline for mailing this season and officials say time is running out.

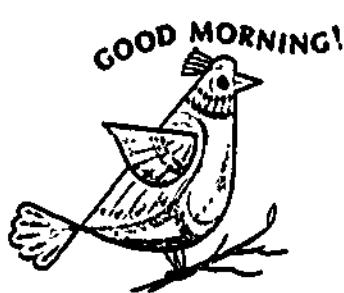
To speed delivery, mail should be bundled with addresses marked plainly and with zip codes, officials said.

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TODAY: Cloudy with a chance of snow flurries; high in low 30s.

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For Hoffman Estates trustee

Jeanne Pavey wins GOP slate spot by narrow margin

by TONI GINNETTI

Jeanne M. Pavey narrowly outpolled Shirley Gibbons late Sunday to win a spot on the Republican Party ticket for April's Hoffman Estates municipal election.

Mrs. Pavey, who had been sought out as a candidate by party officials, tallied the required 75 votes for nomination on the fifth round of balloting late Sunday night after a nip-and-tuck race against Mrs. Gibbons.

Newcomer, Mrs. Pavey, 43, will join Trustee William Cowin and Plan Comr. William Palmer on the party ticket. Palmer and Cowin were also slated Sunday night by the convention.

Cowin, the village board's senior member, will be seeking his third term. Palmer and Mrs. Pavey will run for the first time.

In a convention which lasted late into the night Sunday at Hoffman Estates High School, 148 delegates balloted six times to nominate the three candidates.

The three were chosen from a field of six, including Mrs. Gibbons, party vice president Peter von Sothen and Ralph Allen, a "favorite-son" candidate supported as a local choice by his 6th precinct.

AFTER THE SLATING, Mrs. Gibbons, a member of the plan commission and park district board, said she had "no regrets" about running. She added she has not thought about possibly running as an independent candidate or whether she would seek to continue serving on the park board.

Mrs. Pavey, 124 Firestone Dr., a resident of the Winston Knolls subdivision, had been asked to appear before the party screening committee last week to consider running. She has not previously sought office although she has been active in Republican Party politics at both the local and county level.



William Cowin

"I want to do the best I can for the people in my village," Mrs. Pavey told the convention when her name was placed in nomination. Charles Zimmerman, who nominated her, called Mrs. Pavey a hard worker "who has time to do the job and wants to do the job."

MRS. PAVEY'S race against Mrs. Gibbons proved the closest contest Sunday night as delegates bartered for votes through the night.

Cheers and whistles from their supporters broke out each time a precinct tally gave votes to one of the women.

The closest balloting between the two came in the third round, when Mrs. Pavey collected 65 votes and Mrs. Gibbons 64, both shy of the 75 necessary for nomination.

Any registered Republican living in the village was eligible to serve as a delegate to the convention, with a majority vote from those in attendance required for a candidate's nomination.

Mrs. Gibbons, 32, who has been active in the Barrington Square Homeowners Assn., was backed by a noisy, enthusiastic assembly of supporters, but when the fifth round of balloting gave the nomination 77 votes as Mrs. Gibbons total diminished to 46 votes.

Dems undecided on village slate

The Schaumburg Township Democratic Party has not decided yet if it will sponsor a slate in the 1975 Hoffman Estates municipal elections.

Although no new candidates have come forward, committeeman John Morrissey said Monday the matter still is open. He said the party is awaiting word from several persons who were to be contacted about running.

The party has drawn two candidates in three slating sessions, but Morrissey said unless more persons come forward, the party might not form a ticket.

Mel Budish and Walter Sullivan have

gone before party officials seeking slating. Sullivan, 153 Bode Rd., has run unsuccessfully for the village board as an independent in 1973 and for a state representative's seat on the Democratic ticket last month. Budish, 225 Rosedale Ln., has not previously run for office.

Three seats on the village board will be up for election in April. If the party runs a slate, it will be the first there since 1971.

Organized parties have from Wednesday to Dec. 28 to file petitions to run for office. Independents have from Jan. 6 to Feb. 10 to file.

In Mrs. Pavey's home area, Palatine Township precincts.

Mrs. Pavey, a past public relations director for Standard Oil and the Chicago, North Shore and Milwaukee Ry., was the second person to be slated. Palmer, one of the early announced candidates and the first person nominated Sunday night, easily won nomination in the second round of balloting.

Palmer, 42, of 333 Baxter Ln., appeared to be one of the most popular candidates at the convention. His nomination was greeted by cheers, drums, horns and handshakes.

COWIN, THE ONLY incumbent seeking reelection, mustered nominal support through the first five ballots as the contest between the women candidates heightened. But he easily won the third spot on the ticket in the sixth round, polling 77 votes as Mrs. Gibbons total diminished to 46 votes.

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Cowin, 45, and his supporters appeared relaxed and confident during the evening as the voting took place, although he smiled afterward when asked if he was ever worried about the outcome and said "of course."

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by STIRLING MORITA

"Why is that truck turned over?" asked a youngster in a group viewing a tiny model of besieged Dunkirk Beach during World War II.

"Because it's bombed out," answered the program instructor. "You guys have got to read your history books. Dunkirk is where the British lost. The Germans didn't lose until later."

The boys were admiring the model and others prepared by Randy Guenin, instructor for the Schaumburg Park District model-building program at the Meineke Community Center.

"Neat!" was the response of the boys to miniature soldiers and airplanes transformed from various model kits. Details down to the color of the canteen and fashioning clothing bulges could be seen on the tiny plastic models.

GUENIN SAID history played a part in teaching the program, telling the youngsters that certain paint colors or stripes on warplanes design-

nated when the aircraft was used during the war.

The emphasis is on teaching the children that model building is more than slapping glue on parts and quickly assembling them. Careful attention is given to instructions that come in the kits.

Mike Doherty Jr., 8, who was working on a model warplane, said he has learned how planes jettison fuel tanks when they are empty and how soldiers dressed during the war.

CHAD RISELING, 9, said, "He (Guenin) tells us to put dirt, mud and dents on them to make them look realistic."

Guenin said he has been working with plastic models and conforming them to look like the real thing for about 15 years. Guenin, who works for Eastern Air Lines, added that he just never stopped making models as most boys do.

A second session for the course begins Jan. 24. Registration is being taken at Meineke Community Center, 220 E. Weatherfield Way, Schaumburg.

Pat Gerlach



Builder returns from Canada

Nick is back in town! Builder Nick Herman was observed dining with his family Sunday in a Palatine restaurant. When contacted in Toronto a week earlier, Herman told this reporter he planned to return to the U.S. to spend Christmas with his family.

And the former Schaumburg builder will probably be receiving a warm welcome — from all of the people who claim he owes them money, not to mention the IRS. Herman left the country about three months ago when IRS agents began asking Knightsbridge subdivision residents about their dealings with Herman concerning purchases of their homes there. At that time it seemed apparent that Herman had abandoned Knightsbridge Corp., though observers are not now fully convinced that has really happened.

Ravinia Investments, Chicago real estate developers, told village officials informally last week that they intend to complete the undeveloped 17 acres at Knightsbridge with single-family homes comparable to those built by Herman. The company is headed by Joseph Bernstein, an attorney, and Lloyd Levine, reportedly experienced in putting together financing for nursing homes.

Bernstein refused to discuss plans in Schaumburg until after Jan. 1 and Levine could not be reached for comment.

Also of interest, it has just come to light that Herman gave a quit claim

deed for the vacant 17 acres plus his home and four others in Inverness to James Krecji, an associate of Ravinia Investments, just before leaving for Canada. Krecji confirmed receipt of the deed from Herman, but said he immediately turned it over to the new developers.

IT APPEARS THE Republican Party of Hoffman Estates experienced some difficulty in recruiting candidates for Sunday's convention.

The village GOP even went outside its own membership in asking Anne Schuerings, widely known as an independent voter, to consider competing for nomination.

THE LIGHTS are on again at the corner of Roselle and Higgins road with the recent opening of Tino's Restaurant.

TRAFFIC CONGESTION on Schaumburg Road has prompted several Schaumburg residents to ask for a stop sign either at Salem or Brantree drives. Cook County Highway Dept. officials have agreed to a survey but make no promises.

PHIL OSSIFER thinks a pessimist sees difficulty in every opportunity while an optimist sees opportunity in every difficulty.

The local scene

Cub Scout Christmas party

Cub Scout Pack 394 will have its Christmas Party Friday at Dirksen School, 116 W. Beech Dr., Schaumburg.

Boys will bring gifts for needy children and their families rather than having a grab bag. Colors will be presented by Den 2 when the event begins at 7:30 p.m. Awards will be given.

Bobcats awards were given in November to Michael Cross, Darren Bogart, Paul Messina, Dave Sarge, Scott Casper, John Bogart, Bob Prouse, Tom Nelson, Jim Jones, Greg Holluch and Bill Tidisco.

Webelos receiving various badges were Brad Jordan, Dan Prouse, Mike Sengstock, and Dave Tuckey. One year pin went to Michael Varada, Rich Herlach, Ken Stetina, Dennis Griffin and David Carroll. A two-year pin was received by Marc Graff and Ken Stetina received a silver arrow point.

Parents interested in doing Scout work and those with children 7½ years old or older who would like to be Cub Scouts should call Don Stetina, 529-0310; Glenn Caspary, 894-9179, or Sam Cosine, 894-1624.

Craft program Saturday

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CADETTE Margo Champlin, Toni Church and Leslie Decay are among members of 28 Schaumburg Township girl scout troops participating in the U.S. Marine Corps 'Toys for Tots'

drive. Sgt. Frank Fatcha will supervise distribution of more than 1,000 toys collected by scouts to needy children in town.

Weaver makes it three seeking parks posts

Fred Weaver, vice president of the Hoffman Estates park board, will seek reelection to the board this spring, joining two other announced candidates.

Weaver, 275 Fremont Ct., said he will run for a six-year term in the park election April 1. Weaver is former board president. He also has served as a village plan commissioner.

The other two candidates are Anthony Stompanato, 218 Illinois Blvd., a director on the board of the Hoffman Estates Boys Club, and Thomas McGuire, 105 E.

Junior high loses TV set to burglar

A television set worth about \$400 was reported stolen Monday in a burglary at Robert Frost Junior High School, 320 W. Wise Rd., Schaumburg.

Authorities said no sign of forced entry to the building was found.

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Develop plan for land use, city urged

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Wilton L. Battles of Planning Horizons, Inc., told the city council's public works, building and zoning committee that a land-use plan is the most critical of the three, but said he also "strongly" recommended a housing study.

He also told the aldermen that if the city decides to apply for federal funds under the U.S. Housing and Community Development Act, a community development plan would be an eligibility requirement.

The committee responded by asking Battles for a detailed proposal on his planning recommendations, which would cost about \$20,000.

ONE COMMITTEEMAN, Ald. Thomas J. Waldron, 2nd, said the city does not need the planning services Battles outlined unless it applies for federal grants. The city never has used outside funds in the past, and he does not favor risking the "strings attached and pitfalls in federal money," he said.

Battles also said preparation of a master plan at the city's current stage of nearly complete development would be "a ridiculous thing."

"We pretty much now have our boundaries. We just have to see we run it (the city) well," Waldron said.

Although other committee members questioned Battles on specific comments in his general presentation, none supported Waldron's views. Ald. Thomas W. Scanlan, 1st, who is not on the committee, said he did not agree with Waldron.

Ald. Fredrick Jacobson, 5th, asked how an outside planner could evaluate community housing needs better than local residents and officials can.

Battles said his company would start with census information and consult city boards and commissions for "your input as to what needs you perceive for special groups."

THE HOUSING STUDY would require

the city to identify needs of special groups, such as the elderly, handicapped and low-income persons. Battles said low-income definitions will be established by the federal government, and they have not been determined. But the city "may determine you don't have any needs that are not already fulfilled," he said.

Battles noted the wide range of projects Housing and Community Development Act funds can be used to finance, calling it the "most comprehensive piece of federal legislation with regard to cities" ever passed.

ROLLING MEADOWS would fall in the third priority category for funding, he said, because its population does not exceed 50,000 and it is not already participating in any funding program the new act replaces. The city would be considered part of the "discretionary" group, for which \$3.4 million has been allocated in the first funding year (1975) and \$12.5 million has been allocated in the second funding year, he said.

Criteria for obtaining funds in the discretionary area are overcrowded housing, poverty or urgent community projects, Battles said. While there is no assurance the city would receive funds, "it's worth going after, worth pursuing," he said.

If the city applies, it must complete a pre-application conference and planning procedure between Jan. 1 and March 1. It then must complete final application procedures between March and May, he said. A decision would be received within 75 days, he said.

Insurance firm to meet city on extra premiums

A representative of the John Hancock Life Insurance Co. will meet with Rolling Meadows officials today to explain why the city has paid \$6,800 in extra premiums during the past four months.

The Rolling Meadows finance committee learned Dec. 3 that City Mgr. James Watson paid the extra premiums over a four-month period for employee insurance without consent of the council.

The monthly premium approved by the council is \$3,000, Watson said the insurance company requested the extra payments because city employees have collected claims totaling 127 per cent of premium payments. The excess payments would be required for two or three more months, he said.

COMMITTEE MEMBERS termed Hancock's procedure in making up the deficit "unorthodox." Watson was told to invite John Barunas, Hancock representative, to Tuesday's meeting. They asked for an audit of the city's account with the firm, including premiums and claims. The meeting will be at 8 p.m. at city hall.

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Special events offered by parks during holidays

The Rolling Meadows Park District will offer several special events during the holiday season, Dec. 23 through Jan. 3.

Several public skating sessions will be added to the regular schedule. A morning skating session from 10 a.m. to noon will be held Monday and Tuesday, Dec. 23 — 24, with an added afternoon session from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. Monday.

There will be prizes for children. A special prize drawing will be held for those who have purchased special skating tickets. Each \$10 ticket is good for 12 skating sessions. Gift certificates have been donated by Jack-in-the-Box, McDonald's and Burger King for the prize drawing.

POST-CHRISTMAS skating sessions will be held from 10 a.m. to noon Dec. 26, 27, 30, 31 and Jan. 2 — 3. Special afternoon sessions will be held from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. Dec. 26, 27, 30 and Jan. 2, and 3. An additional evening session will be held Dec. 26 from 8 p.m. to 10 p.m.

Regular public skating sessions are Sundays from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m., Fridays from 8 p.m. to 10 p.m. and Saturdays from 1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. to 10 p.m.

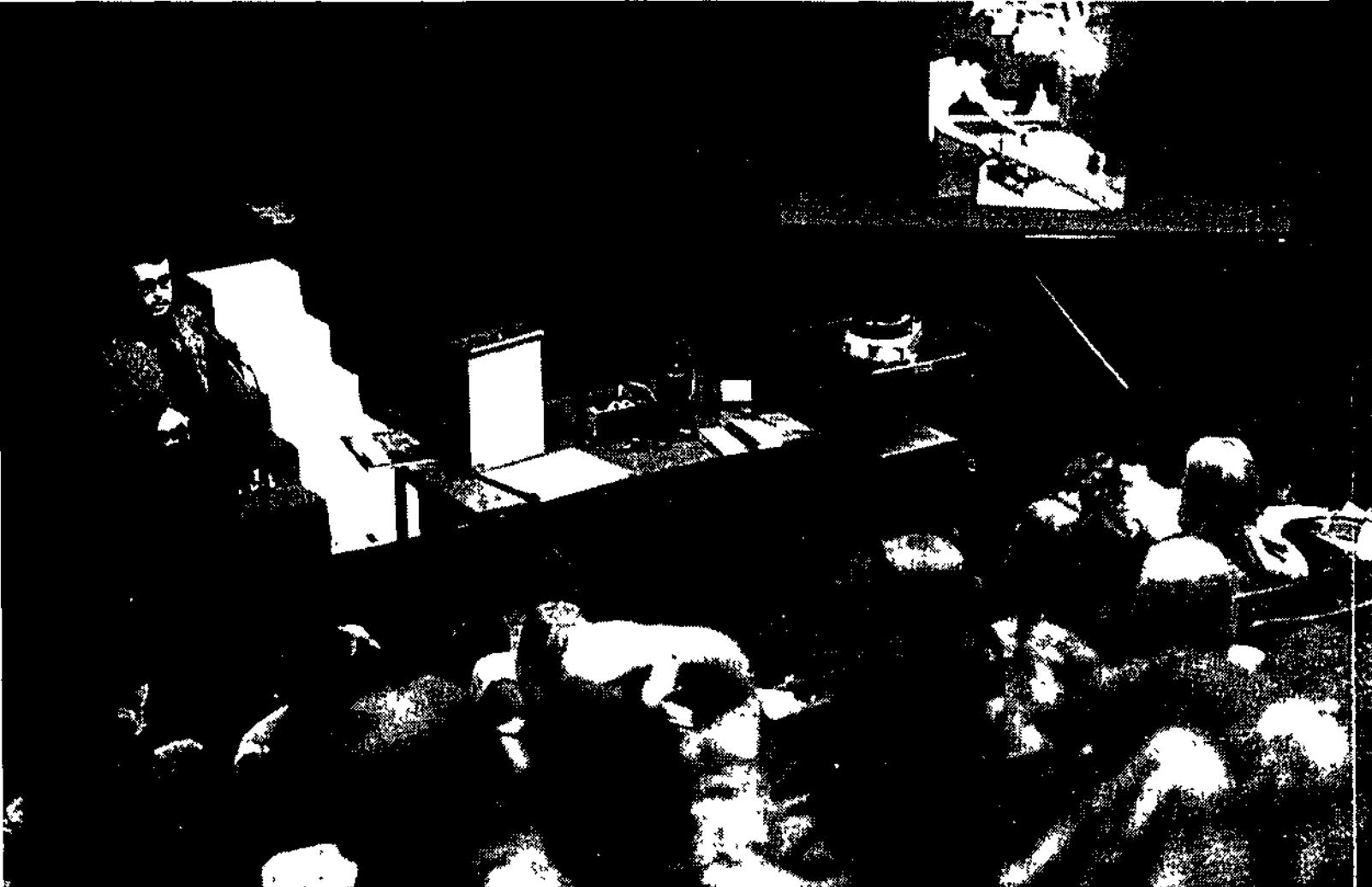
Admission for all public skating sessions is \$1 per person.

Special practice times for advanced figure skaters will be held Monday through Friday, Dec. 23 through Jan. 3, except Christmas Day and New Year's Day. Patch ice will be available from 8 a.m. to 8 a.m., and freestyle skating will be held from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m. each day. The cost is \$2.50 an hour.

SHOOTING PRACTICE for hockey players will be held Dec. 23, 26, 27, 30 and Jan. 2 and 3 from 12:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. Boys of any age are welcome, but must wear protective equipment. The cost is \$1 for shooters and 50 cents for goalies.

During the holiday season, local groups may rent the ice arena at a special price for \$50 per hour during daytime hours. The cost is usually \$60 per hour. Anyone interested in available times may call the park district office.

The park district's annual Christmas Party will be held Dec. 21 at 1 p.m. at the sports complex, 3900 Owl Dr. The movie "Rudolph the Red Nosed Reindeer" will be shown, and there will be treats for the children.



CHEFS TO WELDERS visit Rolling Meadows High School periodically as part of the school's non-college career-education program. The days feature speakers from careers that usually don't require a four-year college degree.

Bill Jones, an X-ray technician, speaks to students about his career.

Ring named Elk Grove principal

The High School Dist. 214 Board of Education Monday night named Donald G. Ring principal of Elk Grove High School.

Ring, district coordinator of science and mathematics succeeds Robert Haskell, who died Nov. 3 of a heart attack. Haskell had been principal of the Elk Grove Village school since 1967.

Ring assumes his duties at the high school beginning Jan. 1, at an annual salary of \$28,500. A graduate of Northern Illinois University, DeKalb, he received



Donald G. Ring

Stamp drive to aid camp for handicapped

Rolling Meadows Jaycees have joined a statewide Jaycee campaign to collect \$24,000 green stamps to help finance facilities in a Jaycee camp for physically and mentally handicapped children.

Stamp collection centers for "Project Respond" have been established at Jewel, Dominicks and National food stores, and in the Rolling Meadows Fire Station, 3111 Meadow Dr. The Jaycees will accept full or partial books or loose stamps, said James Abbott, campaign chairman. Persons unable to deliver the stamps can arrange for collection by calling Abbott at 330-6089.

The Illinois Jaycees have purchased the 360-acre camp near Shelbyville in central Illinois. Arrangements have been made for professional staffing through the Illinois departments of mental health, public health, public instruction and other state agencies, which will support staffing expenses. But facilities in the camp have not been fully developed, and the campaign is to finance them to permit an environmental and therapeutic program along with recreation.

Families of children attending camp also will participate.

Rolling Meadows Jaycees have set a goal of 50 books, to be redeemed for \$2 in cash each. The state goal is 10,000 books. "It is becoming more difficult to collect green stamps," said Abbott, because fewer businesses are giving them with purchases. "But we feel 50 books is realistic, and we hope people will dig down and contribute."

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No longer just college-oriented

A new look to career days

Career Days at Rolling Meadows High School have taken on a different look lately, thanks to the philosophy of staff at the school that "everyone doesn't go to college."

Instead of staging special days when speakers talk about their careers in medicine, law, and other professionals, the high school now brings in members of non-college trades, from welders and paramedics to cooks and veterinary aides.

"Almost all college career days are college oriented," said Ray Broderick, distributive education teacher at the school. "But only about half of the students here go to college so we're going for those who don't."

FOUR NON-COLLEGE career days are planned for Rolling Meadows, said Broderick. Some 1,600 students have attended the first two sessions.

On each career day, students can choose to attend one to six, 25-minute sessions, depending on their interest.

A career day in November concen-

trated on construction trades. A recent day emphasized medical occupations such as mortuary, X-ray, dental or nurses' aides.

February career day will concentrate on business and office careers, said Broderick. A spring career day is in the works to concentrate on service occupations such as chefs and beauticians.

WHILE GIVING students an idea of what's involved in a particular career,

guest speakers also are giving down-to-earth insight into their careers.

"A carpenter came in and said that the job outlook in his profession was very bad," said Broderick. "The students need to know that."

"A welder who's a Rolling Meadows graduate came in and said he makes \$12,000 a year," Broderick said. "That hits home a lot harder than if we showed them a movie on welding."

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Post office lines are shorter this year.

Nation's Yule mail off 11%

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The U.S. Postal Service in Washington reported Monday's mail volume was down 11 per cent compared with the same day last year. And in Chicago, postal officials said volume is almost 7 per cent less this year than last between Nov. 8 and Dec. 15 — 50 million fewer pieces of mail.

"We expect the peak to come this week," said Walter Dyer, spokesman for the Chicago postal system. "But I don't think the mail will be the same volume as last year. People just seem to be doing less mailing," he said.

AS THE FLOW of mail begins to increase, some Northwest suburban post of-

fices still report substantial decreases in their load, while others say the volume is about the same as last season.

Daniel McTarnil, foreman of mail at the Roselle Post Office branch which serves Hoffman Estates and Schaumburg, estimates a decrease of 30 per cent. "Our mail is completely clear and all the mail is gone. People seem to be waiting to mail this year or maybe it's the economy," he said.

Special hours were set up but people just now seem to be taking advantage of them, he said.

A temporary post office at Woodfield Shopping Center in Schaumburg has been busy during the past few days indicating things will get rolling soon. It's just beginning to pick up."

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Zajonc blasts Fonte, says he may run

Trustee Fred H. Zajonc says recent attacks on him by Trustee Richard W. Fonte might prompt him to seek a third term on the Palatine Village Board.

"If anything, it is Mr. Fonte's arrogance and attack on my efforts to help (Village Pres. Wendell E.) Jones that tempts me to run and to advise the citizens of Palatine to examine the tactics of this man very carefully," said Zajonc, referring to Fonte's comments as "lies and propaganda tactics."

Zajonc is the sole Village Independent Party (VIP) member of the village board. Fonte, Jones and other board members belong to the Republican Party, which swept into power in 1973.

Zajonc said he had decided not to run because "eight years is long enough," but said he now is reconsidering. He said if he runs, it will be as an independent and he will not try to form an opposition party.

ZAJONC'S REMARKS came in response to charges made by Fonte during the keynote address to Saturday's Republican convention that Zajonc opposed flood control measures.

Zajonc called the charges "absolutely erroneous" and cited creek dredging and installation of the pumping equipment to make Rossiter Lake a retention basin as examples of his support for flood control measures.

The GOP convention endorsed Trustees Bryan P. Coughlin Jr. and Phillip E. Stern. John V. Serio received the GOP nomination for Zajonc's term, which expires in April.

ZAJONC SAID he will not make a decision on whether to seek relection until after the first of the year. He was elected to the board in 1967 on the Republican ticket. Four years later he was again selected by the Republicans but ran as a member of the Village Independent Party after the Republicans failed to endorse two other Republican incumbents. He was not dumped by the Republican party.

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on the chain, a math project which was measured by taping it across the halls. Last year they used straws. Next year...

Bank of Palatine to open interim office

The Bank of Palatine will open a temporary office at 291 N. Northwest Hwy. Jan. 20.

The office, in the former Hajcek Pharmacy, will be used until the bank's permanent facilities at Plum Grove Road and Northwest Highway is opened in late 1973.

Calendar

Wednesday
Environmental Control Board, Village Hall, 54 S. Brockway St., 8 p.m.

St. Joseph's Home Auxiliary, 60 W. Baldwin Rd., 10 a.m.

Palatine Advisory Board, Slade Street Fire Station, 8 p.m.

Palatine Environmental Control Board, Village Hall, 8 p.m.

Thursday

Palatine Hockey Mothers Club, Maple Park, 8 p.m.

Garden Club of Inverness, Inverness Fieldhouse, noon.

Civil Defense, Village Hall, 8 p.m.

Palatine Lions Club, Uncle Andy's, 7 p.m.

Palatine Township Regular Republican Organization, Township Hall, 8 p.m.

Palatine Regular Republican Women's Organization, Township Hall, 8 p.m.

Palatine Jaycees Wives, 8 p.m.

Palatine Zoning Board of Appeals, Slade Street Fire Station, 8 p.m.

Site preparation has started and a building permit currently is pending with the Palatine Building and Zoning Dept. Construction may not get under way until spring, said Winn Davidson, bank president.

Full bank services except for safe deposit boxes will be available at the temporary office. The services will include a drive-in window.

The new bank will be in the Bank of Palatine Plaza. The development will include the Palatine Public Library and 10 to 12 retail stores. The bank building will be two stories but bank offices will occupy only half of the first floor with the

other space being rented out, Davidson said.

The Bank of Palatine has sold \$1.5 million in stock to nearly 200 stockholders mainly in Palatine, Davidson said.

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Public hearing Thursday

Des Plaines lone objector to MSD sewage project

by LYNN ASINOF

Des Plaines apparently will continue to stand alone in its objections to a sewage treatment plant for the city's west side and the deep-tunnel system that will be used to connect the plant to the rest of the Northwest suburban area.

Of the seven communities affected by the plant and tunnel project, only Des Plaines plans to object at a hearing on the project scheduled Thursday by the Metropolitan Sanitary District. Elk Grove Village will testify in favor of the project and five of the six other suburbs will send representatives only for informational purposes, officials said.

The two towns most affected by the proposed project are Des Plaines and Mount Prospect. Most of the tunnels that will carry sewage to the treatment plant will be built about 160 feet under Mount Prospect streets and parkways. The plant will be located at the southeast corner of Oakton Street and Elmhurst Road in Des Plaines.

THE PROJECT IS designed so that the combined sewage from seven Northwest suburbs will travel to the treatment center through the tunnel system. Thus most of the towns will get improved sewage treatment services while having to bear little of the brunt of construction.

The suburbs to be served by the project include Mount Prospect, Des Plaines, Arlington Heights, Rolling Meadows, Elk Grove Village, Wheeling and Buffalo Grove.

Village Mgr. Robert J. Eppley of Mount Prospect said that village basically supports the project, but said additional information is needed about construction of the tunnels. Seven of eight vertical drop shafts will be located in Mount Prospect. The shafts, which will carry sewage to the deep tunnels, will be blasted out of rock.

Eppley said he wants information on how the sanitary district plans to handle any complaints of damage which may result from the construction and blasting.

He said he also wants to make sure that the construction sites will be protected so that youngsters will not be able to get into the area.

DAVID CREAMER, Mount Prospect director of public works, said he also plans to question the possibility that the deep tunnel project will reduce the productivity of two shallow wells.

Des Plaines officials are basically concerned with the sewage treatment plant, which will be built above ground. While the sanitary district contends that no odors will be produced by the plant, Des Plaines officials in part are basing their objections on grounds that the plant will produce odors which may affect nearby residences.

Wheeling is the only one of the seven communities that will not send a representative to the meeting, since it has no

objection to the project.

The hearing is specifically geared for discussion of an environmental impact statement on the plant and sewers as required by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency.

Verbal comments on the design of the plant and sewers will be limited to 15 minutes per person, but written comments will be allowed. Copies of the environmental impact statement have been on display at local libraries for about a month.

The meeting will begin at 7:30 p.m. Thursday at the Mount Prospect Community Center, 600 S. See-Gwin Ave., and will be continued Friday if there is not enough time for all interested parties to be heard Thursday.

Degree in counseling

Marcanthony Salvatini, 464 Willow Wood Rd., Palatine, received his master's degree in counselor education from Pennsylvania State University, University Park, Pa., in May.

On St. Thomas dean's list

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Strange twist

Wedgewood homeowners fought assessment, now seek sewer system hookup

by BETTY LEE

Homeowners in the Wedgewood Terrace Subdivision of Mount Prospect, who fought a village special assessment project to build a water and sewer system for their area, now find themselves willing to hook on to the system because of flooding problems and a dwindling water supply.

More and more of the 60 to 70 homeowners in the subdivision are making the switch to the village system despite the fact that it costs them \$3,400 to \$4,400 each.

"Everybody on the whole was happy it was going through," said Mrs. Clyde House, president of the Wedgewood Terrace Homeowners' Assn.

When the special assessment project was started, many residents opposed it because of high costs, Mrs. House said.

WEDGWOOD TERRACE is a triangular area bounded by Euclid Avenue on the north, Elmhurst Road on the east and Rand Road on the southwest. It is immediately west of the Randhurst Shopping Center.

The area was annexed to Mount Prospect in 1965. The homes were equipped with wells and septic tanks.

Well and septic tank breakdowns "happened a lot" during the past two decades, said Mrs. House, a Wedgewood Terrace resident for 21 years.

"We stuck together when problems came about and tried to help one another," she said.

When the Mount Prospect Board of Local Improvements started special assessments to install the water and sewer line earlier this year, residents had mixed emotions. They welcomed the project, but not the costs, Mrs. House said.

MOST OF THE complaints were lodged earlier this year when Henry Herout was president of the homeowners association.

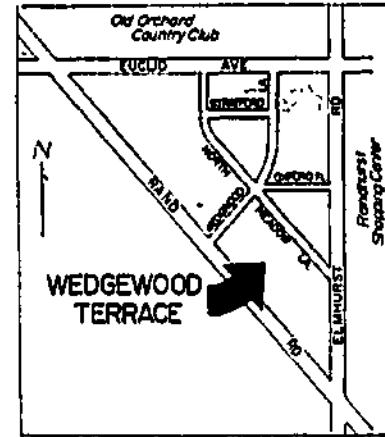
One-way street on trustees' agenda

The Mount Prospect Village Board tonight will be asked to consider making Prospect Manor Avenue a one-way northbound street between Bob-O-Link and Rand roads.

The change was recommended by the safety commission and then considered at a public hearing. Residents in the area had complained that students from Prospect High School were using the street as a shortcut to the McDonald's restaurant on Rand Road.

The board also is scheduled to pass a resolution which would send a proposed revision of the village's comprehensive plan to the planning commission for review. A subcommittee of the planning commission has prepared the proposed revision, which must be approved by the village board.

The meeting will begin at 8 p.m. at the village hall, 112 E. Northwest Hwy.



HOMEOWNERS IN the Wedgewood Terrace subdivision in Mount Prospect are hooking into the village water and sewer system whether they want to or not. Meadow Lane is just one of the streets in the triangular subdivision west of Randhurst Shopping Center.

Des Plaines lone objector to sewers

by LYNN ASINOF

Des Plaines apparently will continue to stand alone in its objections to a sewage treatment plant for the city's west side and the deep-tunnel system that will be used to connect the plant to the rest of the Northwest suburban area.

Of the seven communities affected by the plant and tunnel project, only Des Plaines plans to object at a hearing on the project scheduled Thursday by the Metropolitan Sanitary District. Elk Grove Village will testify in favor of the project and five of the six other suburbs will send representatives only for informational purposes, officials said.

The two towns most affected by the proposed project are Des Plaines and Mount Prospect. Most of the tunnels that will carry sewage to the treatment plant will be built about 180 feet under Mount Prospect streets and parkways. The plant will be located at the southeast corner of Oakton Street and Elmhurst Road in Des Plaines.

THE PROJECT IS designed so that the combined sewage from seven Northwest suburbs will travel to the treatment plant

through the tunnel system. Thus most of the towns will get improved sewage treatment services while having to bear little of the brunt of construction.

English figurines to library

The E-Hart Girls recently presented two English china figurines of Boatrix Potter storybook characters to the Mount Prospect Public Library. The figurines add to three previously presented to the library and will be placed on display periodically for patrons.

Contributions for the figurines are collected annually from the E-Hart Girls who donate two cents for each year of their age and their leader's age.

The gifts are presented in memory of Bertha T. Ehard, honorary founder of E-Hart. She helped establish the Mount Prospect Library and served on its board for 15 years.

Founded in 1967, E-Hart includes girls from Mount Prospect, Prospect Heights and surrounding communities. It consists of girls from second grade through high school.

The suburbs to be served by the project include Mount Prospect, Des Plaines, Arlington Heights, Rolling Meadows, Elk Grove Village, Wheeling and Buffalo Grove.

Village Mgr. Robert J. Eppley of Mount Prospect said that village basically supports the project, but said additional information is needed about construction of the tunnels. Seven of eight vertical drop shafts will be located in Mount Prospect. The shafts, which will carry sewage to the deep tunnels, will be blasted out of rock.

Eppley said he wants information on how the sanitary district plans to handle any complaints of damage which may result from the construction and blasting. He said he also wants to make sure that the construction sites will be protected so that youngsters will not be able to get into the area.

DAVID CREAMER, Mount Prospect director of public works, said he also plans to question the possibility that the deep tunnel project will reduce the productivity of two shallow wells.

Des Plaines officials are basically concerned with the sewage treatment plant,

which will be built above ground. While the sanitary district contends that no odors will be produced by the plant, Des Plaines officials in part are basing their objections on grounds that the plant will produce odors which may affect nearby residences.

Wheeling is the only one of the seven communities that will not send a representative to the meeting, since it has no objections to the project.

The hearing is specifically geared for discussion of an environmental impact statement on the plant and sewers as required by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency.

Verbal comments on the design of the plant and sewers will be limited to 15 minutes per person, but written comments will be allowed. Copies of the environmental impact statement have been on display at local libraries for about a month.

The meeting will begin at 7:30 p.m. Thursday at the Mount Prospect Community Center, 600 S. See-Gwin Ave., and will be continued Friday if there is not enough time for all interested parties to be heard Thursday.

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New boundaries suggested to avoid closing Gregory

by JUDY JOBBITT

Parents suggested Monday night that Mount Prospect Dist. 57 change its boundaries to avoid having to close Gregory School.

About 35 parents who attended the Dist. 57 Board of Education meeting concurred with one resident's proposal that the district annex a small triangular portion of River Trails Dist. 26 to forestall the closing of Gregory, 400 E. Gregory St.

The board agreed to consider the suggestion, and instructed Supt. Earl Sutter to contact Dist. 26 officials about the number of students who would be involved in the transfer and to check the legality of changing boundaries.

The parents reasoned that a boundary change would increase the student population in the Gregory School area and allow Gregory to remain open.

The area being discussed for annexation, primarily apartments, is bounded by Rand Road on the northeast, Elmhurst Road on the west and Judith Ann Drive on the south.

Discussion about annexation arose after a special committee of the board conducting a five-year study of the district recommended the board decide whether Gregory should be closed for the 1975-76 school year by the Feb. 17 board meeting.

The board decided to set up a citizens committee to review data and committee recommendations about closing Gregory. A public hearing was set for Jan. 21 when the citizens committee report will be presented.

The board has been considering closing Gregory because it has the lowest enrollment. Students currently enrolled at Gregory would be transferred to Fairview and Busse schools.

The possibility of closing schools in Dist. 57 arose after the studies showed continued declining enrollment in the district and the possibility of a \$562,000 deficit by the 1977-78 school year when enrollment drops from the current 3,060 to 2,135 students.

By closing Gregory, the district anticipates saving \$74,000 per year with the possibility of additional revenue through renting the school facility to other school or community organizations.

The area suggested for annexation attempted to annex to Dist. 57 in 1963 but failed to get permission from the Cook County Board of School Trustees.

An orientation meeting for the citizens committee will be Saturday at 9 a.m. The committee will include a representative from the six elementary school PTAs and three members at large from the district.

Elk Grove schools hire Bardwell; Knaup resigns

Elk Grove Township Dist. 58 gained an acting superintendent, but lost a board of education member Monday night.

The board voted unanimously to hire former Supt. Roger Bardwell as acting superintendent. Bardwell replaces James Erviti, who was dismissed by the board last week.

Charles Knaup of Elk Grove Village resigned effective immediately after 20 months on the school board. An airline pilot, Knaup cited a lack of time to devote to school matters as his reason for leaving the board.

Knaup did not attend Monday night's meeting. Board Pres. Gerald Smiley said Knaup had been considering resignation since last summer. Smiley indicated that he had asked Knaup to stay on the board until after Erviti's dismissal.

BARDWELL'S CONTRACT as acting superintendent runs through June 30,



Roger Bardwell

1975, at an annual salary of \$35,000, the same paid to Erviti. The contract can be canceled by either Bardwell or the board with 45-days notice.

The board agreed to hold off starting a search for a permanent superintendent until after Jan. 1. Smiley said the board

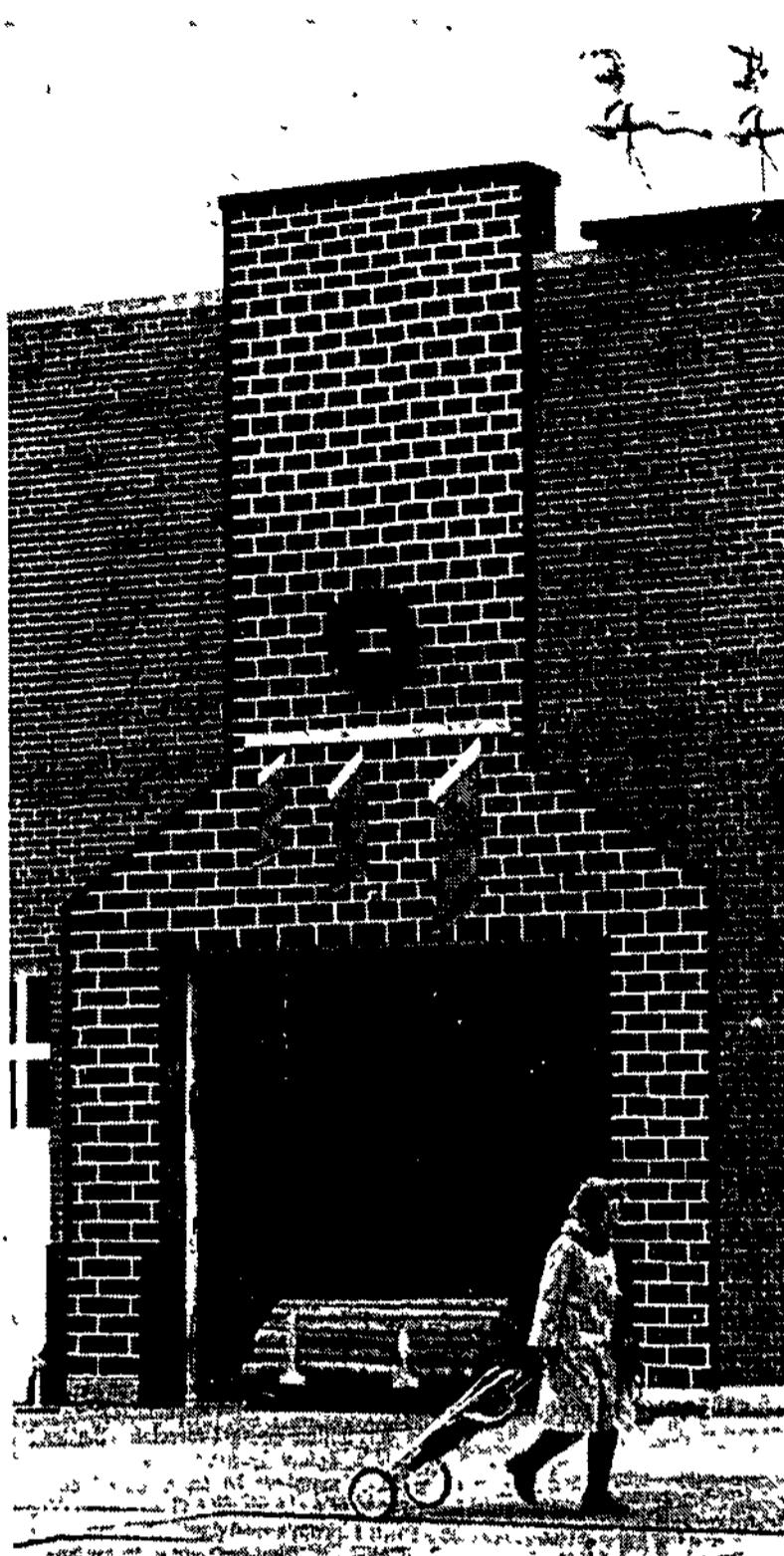
will begin the search by consulting the Illinois Assn. of School Boards for advice.

At the same time, the board issued a call for residents of the district to apply for the vacancy on the board created by Knaup's resignation. The board intends to fill the vacancy within 30 days.

Bardwell was Dist. 58 superintendent from 1960 to 1966. He left to become superintendent of schools in Ithaca, N. Y. He has since worked for Harper and Row Publishers and is a teacher at the National College of Education, Evanston.

Bardwell has advocated a decentralized administrative setup for school districts, in contrast to Erviti's practice of tight control that alienated some principals and teachers.

Bardwell told the board he was thankful for the opportunity to serve as superintendent. "It's good to be back," he told a reporter after the board meeting.



THE BIGGEST chimney in town this Christmas season belongs to the Mount Prospect Fire Dept. Surely, the largest stocking belongs to Fire Chief

Lawrence A. Pairitz. The decoration covers the door used by the reserve engine. If the engine is ever needed, the logs roll away on coasters.

Help residents spend free time

Park district may become recreation resource center

by LVNN ASINOF

The Mount Prospect Park District eventually may become a recreational resource center, providing residents with information on activities ranging from weekend outings to athletic competitions.

Thomas T. Tayler, the district's new assistant director, said he thinks information is the key to helping residents fill increasing amounts of free time. Noting that unemployment is rising and the number of senior citizens is increasing, Tayler said more and more people have extra time on their hands.

While the park district is not specifically geared to handle these problems, Tayler said he thinks the district must make people aware of ways to fill their free time by developing other interests.

TAYLER SAID one program that might be developed would use a phone answering service to provide residents with a list of current activities. He said

the list would not be limited to local events, but would include programs with a variety of locations, costs and involvement.

Since information is a key to getting people involved, Tayler said the park district is currently contacting the local apartment complexes to make residents aware of programs that already exist. "It's awareness," he said. "There are just so many people who don't know what we are."

Eventually, the park district may begin helping residents of the apartment projects develop their own recreational programs.

Tayler said he thinks the future will be an increasing demand for recreational opportunities. He said people are becoming less "work oriented" and more interested in finding outside interests.

THIS, IN TURN, means people must be educated on how to fill their time,

Tayler said. The Mount Prospect Park District is working in this area by developing cooperative programs with Friendship and Dempster junior high schools.

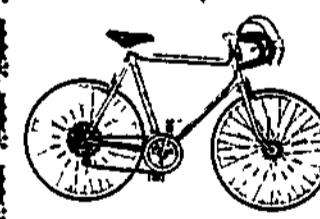
"This will help to educate those kids now," Tayler said, noting that programs at these schools are seen as an extension of school activities. He said that when these children grow up, they will have less difficulty adjusting to increased free time and eventually retirement.

Tayler said the park district also must be prepared for shifts caused by poor economic conditions. He said more and

more people will begin looking for ways to fill their time more cheaply. This in turn may lead the park district to provide an increasing number of inexpensive programs.

Noting that the people who will need the park district programs will be the ones who can least afford to pay for them, Tayler said the park district will have to strike a delicate balance. He said one of the future challenges will be developing interesting programs while still keeping the district operating on a sound financial basis.

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Want-ads get results

Grant may add employee to village roster

Mount Prospect may have a village personnel manager and purchasing agent in 1975 as a result of a federal grant program designed to encourage an upgrading in village operations.

Village Mgr. Robert J. Eppley said he is waiting for federal approval of a grant which would provide the village with \$16,225 in matching funds. The village would put up \$15,695, although some of this amount will be in materials rather than actual dollars.

Eppley said the funds would allow the village to hire a needed purchasing agent and personnel manager. Currently each department handles its own purchasing and personnel matters.

The grant is renewable for a second year, and Eppley said that after two years the village could hire that person as his assistant. The manager has requested an assistant as part of his five-year budget projection. Such assistants have been hired in the past.

I-Oka, Evergreen yield sign OK'd

The Mount Prospect Village Board last week approved a yield sign for the intersection of I-Oka and Evergreen avenues.

The board action came less than a week after a bus struck a house near the intersection. The bus had first collided with an automobile and the drivers of both vehicles suffered minor injuries.

Residents of the area had been asking for some type of traffic control sign at the intersection. The village board's vote was unanimous.

Library will help you select a Yule gift

The Mount Prospect Public Library, 14 E. Busse Ave., has a new service to help patrons select books as Christmas gifts.

"Books For Christmas" is the name of a colorful, free catalog available at the library. It describes books on arts and crafts, sports, science, cooking, psychology, best sellers and dictionaries.

The library also is creating a display of books on Christmas crafts, customs and stories. The books from this display will be available on a short-term loan basis.

Winter parks program signup begins today

Registration for winter programs at the Mount Prospect Park District will begin at 9 a.m. today at Lions Park Recreation Center, 411 S. Maple St.

Doors will open at 8 a.m., with registration on a first-come, first-serve basis. Fees for the classes must be paid at registration.

Starting Wednesday registration will continue during regular park office hours. The office is open from 9 a.m. to noon and from 1-5 p.m. weekdays and from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday.

Doremus to speak at Bicentennial event

John Doremus, radio and television host, will be the featured speaker at the Mount Prospect Bicentennial breakfast Jan. 18.

The breakfast is scheduled to coordinate village activities centering around the celebration of the nation's 200th birthday. Representatives of school, church, civic and social groups have been invited.

Doremus will deliver the keynote address following the breakfast. He currently is with WCLR having hosted his own show on various Chicago networks until 1973. He recently created "The Innovators" for Monitor on NBC and "The Spirit of '76" for the Union Oil Co.

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Library gets culture site for expansion

by KURT BAER

Arlington Heights Memorial Library will have free use of the adjacent cultural center site at 400 N. Dunton Ave. for a planned \$2.5 million building addition provided it can pass a bond issue to pay for the building.

The Arlington Heights Village Board Monday night reversed its earlier inclination to charge the library for the village-owned land, which had been designated as the site for a cultural center.

"Since meeting with the cultural commission, I have given this further thought and it seems to me that we'd be better off to release the site without any charge," said Trustee Frank Palmatier, who earlier proposed charging the library for the land.

Free use of the property would "help the library when they go to referendum and be a vote of confidence that they need," he said.

The cultural center site, bounded by Dunton, Fremont Street, Vail Avenue and St. James Street, is directly south of the library, 500 N. Dunton.

Two other trustees, Alice Harms and David Griffin, voted against giving up the property to the library because they said some compensation should be made to the village's land-dedication fund, which originally was used to buy the site.

"This is not going to give the voters any confidence. The library has well documented its need for expansion. But we took money from the land dedication fund and some money ought to be returned for future use," Griffin said, adding that he was not suggesting that the library pay the market price for the land.

The library's expansion plans also in-

clude the use of the present Fremont Street right of way, which would be vacated between Dunton and Vail if the referendum passes.

Several trustees said they would be willing to buy an alternative site for the cultural center if the cultural commission overcomes its present fund-raising problems. Palmatier identified village-owned land immediately south and west of the library as "an obvious possibility."

But Cultural Commission Chairman Sidney Rosenfeld said the commission does not want to be foreclosed from using an outlying site, which he said may provide more space for parking and architectural flexibility.

Rosenfeld restated the commission's major position to give up the Dunton site for the library expansion. "We're not fighting the library. If they can build an addition, we say more power to them," he said.

The library board is expected to begin planning immediately for a referendum on the building addition. Though no date for the vote has been set, the possibility of holding the referendum with the village elections April 1 has been discussed.

Before voting to make the land available to the library, village trustees questioned Village Atty. Jack M. Siegel about the legality of donating land which had been purchased from the land dedication fund. Siegel said he saw no problem in the donation because the need to expand the library is uniquely attributable to the growth of the village.

Weinand appointed interim health head

George Weinand has been appointed interim director of health services for the Village of Arlington Heights.

He fills the vacancy created by the promotion of the former health director, Frank Charlton, to assistant village manager.

Hanson also said he plans to hire an administrative assistant who will specialize in federal grant programs. Specifically, the new administration employee will work on Arlington Heights' federal Housing and Community Development application.

The village expects to receive \$2.5 million in federal funds under the community development act, and will need professional management of the program, Hanson said.

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Now THAT's a Christmas tree!



LOOKING LIKE TWO of Santa's elves, Skip Kenney, on the ladder, and Warren Gamble string hundreds of lights on a 50-foot evergreen in front of the Robert Weisz residence,

515 Rockwell St., Arlington Heights. Although many Northwest suburban homeowners are decorating outdoor trees now that

the energy crisis seems less a threat, this tree is attracting spectators by the carloads, Mrs. Weisz said.

Democrats' House speaker hopefuls combine forces

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Lynnwood vows fight against parks' annexation

by JOE SWICKARD

They can see it coming, and they do not like it.

Nobody asked their neighbors. And they reason that they will not be asked either when their turn comes.

Growth, expansion and absorption has been a way of life for governments in the Northwest suburbs. The Arlington Heights Park District, with its latest efforts of absorption, has found its future partners less than willing to join them.

The park board has taken a new state law that permits forced annexation of adjoining areas and used it to draw parts of the Lynnwood subdivision, an unincorporated area northwest of Arlington Heights, to its bosom for better or worse.

The forcibly annexed residents have vowed to battle the issue through the courts because they were not asked, they were told; and they feel the district is

stretching the law to match its desires at the expense of Lynnwood.

Lynnwood residents outside the area of annexation, have joined their neighbors in protesting — so far unsuccessfully — at park board meetings and have lent their names to petitions against the annexation.

"We aren't being annexed, at least not yet. But they are creeping up fast," said Elizabeth Hoffmann, 1614 N. Yale Ave.

To Mrs. Hoffmann, she and her neighbors see the district and its accompanying taxes as an unwelcome burden. "People here don't want it. They don't need it."

As she explained it, the older residents have already raised their children — the prime users of the parks — and the young marrieds of the area cannot afford the additional taxes.

"I got a neighbor who's working nights

as it is to make ends meet. How can they pay for this — something they don't even want," she said.

The decision by the park board to absorb the area, without the consent of the residents, is something that does not go down easily with Mrs. Hoffmann.

"Four or five people (the park board commissioners who voted to annex Lynnwood), they are going to decide for 125 families? ... Everything is being pushed down our throats. They are pushing people much too hard. People are getting angry. They are reaching the breaking point," she said.

Another Lynnwood resident, who sees annexation in his future, is less than pleased with the way the park board handled it.

"It's the method that was used that has gotten people upset so that they have objected violently," said Peder Flinn

berg, 1500 W. Thomas St.

It isn't his tax rate that is going up if the annexation is approved, but he saw it was time to make his feelings known and to stand with his neighbors.

"Why would they do that (annex) just one block? If they are successful, they'll take the next one, too, and so on," he said.

The residents have engaged an attorney to take their case to court. Flinnberg echoed a thought expressed at the board's annexation meeting: "With their money troubles, how can they risk the funds for legal actions?"

Still other residents see deeper, more sinister reasons for the park district's move for annexation. They see the wily hand of the village administration manipulating the park board.

One resident who declined to give his name looks at the financial problems of

the park district and feels of the district broadening their tax base through annexations and thereby becoming more attractive to the village for a merger.

Absorbed by the parks who in turn sell out to the village, and the residents find themselves in the clutches of the Board of Local Improvements, is how that resident sees the reason for the annexation.

Flinnberg, while not subscribing to his neighbor's theory, said it is nevertheless a fear in the back of many minds in Lynnwood.

Flinnberg said he and his fellow Lynnwood residents are "happy" living in the country. Their service needs are being met and their taxes are lower.

Nobody asked them to join, the residents say. They were told they were, by four people whom they did not elect. It is happening, and they do not like it or the way it is being done to them.

Elk Grove schools hire Bardwell; Knaup resigns

Elk Grove Township Dist. 59 gained an acting superintendent, but lost a board of education member Monday night.

The board voted unanimously to hire former Supt. Roger Bardwell as acting superintendent. Bardwell replaces James Erviti, who was dismissed by the board last week.

Charles Knaup of Elk Grove Village resigned effective immediately after 20 months on the school board. An airline pilot, Knaup cited a lack of time to devote to school matters as his reason for leaving the board.

Knaup did not attend Monday night's meeting. Board Pres. Gerald Smiley said Knaup had been considering resignation since last summer. Smiley indicated that he had asked Knaup to stay on the board until after Erviti's dismissal.

BARDWELL'S CONTRACT as acting superintendent runs through June 30, 1975, at an annual salary of \$35,000, the same paid to Erviti. The contract can be canceled by either Bardwell or the board with 45-days notice.

The board agreed to hold off starting a search for a permanent superintendent until after Jan. 1. Smiley said the board will begin the search by consulting the Illinois Assn. of School Boards for advice.



Roger Bardwell

Bardwell told the board he was thankful for the opportunity to serve as superintendent. "It's good to be back," he told a reporter after the board meeting.

Omaha executive Arlington Hilton general manager

The former general manager of the Omaha Hilton, Paul Gaeta, has been named general manager of the Arlington Park Hilton, formerly known as the Arlington Park Towers Hotel.

Hilton Hotels Corp. took over management of the Arlington Park hotel Monday on behalf of its owner, Madison Square Garden Corp.

Gaeta began his career with Hilton at the Statler Hilton in Boston in 1960, after a tour of active duty with the Air Force Reserve. He was recalled to active duty in 1962 during the Cuban missile crisis.

On his return to civilian life, Gaeta was named convention sales manager of the Waldorf-Astoria in New York where he was eventually promoted to assistant director of sales. He was promoted to resident manager of the Pittsburgh Hilton and then general manager of the Omaha Hilton.

Hilton Hotels also announced the appointment of Lynn Montjoy as general manager of the O'Hare Hilton, which also is managed by Hilton for Madison Square Garden Corp.

Library raises nonresident fee

The Arlington Heights Memorial Library has raised its nonresident fee from \$25 to \$30 per year.

The fee applies to families who do not live in Arlington Heights or in one of the Northwest Suburban Library System communities. NSLS residents may use any of the system's libraries through an interlibrary borrowing agreement.

Frank Dempsey, executive librarian, said the increase was made after library board treasurer Roland Ley completed a study showing that the average Arlington Heights taxpayer pays \$27 per year in taxes to the library.

Dempsey said that the nonresident fee is in line with nonresident fees charged by other local libraries. Wheeling Library charges \$35 for nonresident cards; Palatine charges \$30 for its nonresidents. The Highland Park library charges \$40 for a nonresident card, Dempsey said.

Ring assumed his duties at the high school beginning Jan. 1, at an annual salary of \$28,500. A graduate of Northern Illinois University, DeKalb, he received a master's degree in physics from the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor. He earned a Ph.D. in science education from Cornell University and has a minor in educational administration.

Ring joined the district in 1958 as a science teacher. He also has served as an administrative assistant and division chairman. An assistant professor of secondary education at the University of Illinois, Ring was a science education consultant for the Measurement Research Center in 1970.

He was previously a staff member of Cornell University and was an instructor for the National College of Education, Evanston.

Ring was chosen from a field of six candidates. The Herald earlier reported that Stephen Berry, assistant principal for instructional services at Wheeling High School, was a candidate for the job.

Berry did not apply for the post, however, said Robert Cudney, district director of instructional staffing.

Library Board Pres. Richard Fribble said the board hopes to have the new bookmobile by this coming summer.

The present bookmobile was bought secondhand from a Florida library in 1972 as an experiment for the Arlington system. It now circulates 2,500 books a month. But with more than 60,000 miles on the van and \$2,500 in repairs made during the last 18 months, Dempsey said a new vehicle is badly needed.

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